

# The Vernon Record

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## ARMISTICE DAY PROGRAM WILL BE HELD HERE SUNDAY

to of Poppies on Streets Saturday to Help Men Maimed in Great Struggle Where They Offered Their Lives for Others

Sunday is Armistice Day and all the United States, in France, England and other nations there will be big celebrations to recall the day on which the great world conflict ended. In Vernon ex-servicemen will devote the day to a program which, though not like the Fourth of July or other days, will be filled with things which will recall to a peaceful city the memories of days in Wilbarger County when the men who were over on the bloody fields and the news that they had won the war was flashed across the water to anxious fathers and mothers, brothers returning heroes, like heroes of every other town in the nation, were hailed to the skies and their return. That has been years ago and the world has changed. But scattered here and there over the nation are thousands of men who but for that war would have been robust, healthy citizens enjoying life as others are enjoying. Now they are dependent upon the help of their friends in arms, who will never leave them, and those of the war who have not forgotten too soon the blood that was shed on the fields and on the scores of the best manhood were so free-living, will be sold Saturday on streets. The proceeds of the sale will go to help the men who gave their lives for their country and came back facing worse death—facing life maimed or as the result of the war.

Everybody in Vernon is expected to buy a poppy tomorrow and to wear that poppy Sunday.

The First Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Dr. L. J. Mims, the pastor, will preach a sermon and the ex-servicemen will attend in a body. In the evening at 7:30 there will be a program for Armistice Day at the First Methodist church.

## NAVAL AVIATOR BREAKS ALL SPEED RECORDS



Lieutenant H. J. Brown, U. S. Navy, and Lieutenant A. J. Williams, U. S. Navy, alternately rose at Mitchell Field, Long Island, in baby Curtis Navy meers, and beat each other's speed records and established new world's speed records. Brown finally set a new mark of 256 miles an hour on an average of two flights over a three-kilometer course. At one time he was officially recorded at 265 miles an hour, but his record stands at 259 miles officially.

## INFORMATION ON HOLIDAY MAIL

### POSTMASTER FARRELL TELLS HOW TO PREPARE PACKAGES

Postmaster C. J. Farrell has issued the following information regarding preparing and addressing mail for the coming holiday season:

Prepay postage fully on all matter.

Address all matter plainly and completely, giving street address, whenever possible.

Place sender's name and address in upper left hand corner of address side.

Pack articles carefully in strong, durable containers.

Wrap parcels securely but do not seal them except when bearing printed label or endorsement: "Contents" Merchandise - Fourth-Class Mail. Postmaster: This parcel may be opened for postal inspection if necessary, as sealed parcels not so labeled or indorsed are subject to the fourth letter rate.

Parcels may be marked "Do not open until Christmas."

Insure valuable parcels.

Do not inclose letters with parcels, as doing so would subject entire parcel to letter postage.

Written greetings such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and names, numbers, or symbols for the purpose of description may be inclosed with fourth-class (parcel post) mail. Books may bear dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions subject parcels to letter postage. Communications prepaid at first-class rate may be sent with parcels prepaid at the fourth-class rate by securely attaching the envelope containing the letter or other written matter to outside of parcels.

## GREATEST BATTLE NORTHWEST TEXAS GRIDIRON TODAY

Wichita Falls Coyotes and Vernon Pirates Fight for Honors at Fair Park at 3:30 O'clock Town To Be Closed Up for Game

The greatest football game in the history of Wilbarger County and one of the hardest in the history of this section of Texas is to start at the Fair Grounds here this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock when the Wichita Falls Coyotes meet the Vernon Pirates in a battle for supremacy in the Northern end of District Four. The Wichita Falls team left that city at 3 o'clock this morning and Coach Bud McCallum will give his men a rest here until the game starts.

All during the morning automobile loads of Wichita Falls people have been pouring into Vernon to attend the game. The University Club of Wichita Falls has pledged 100 automobile loads of visitors from that city and many others are coming besides those pledged by the club. At first prospects were there would be about 500 people from Wichita Falls here for the game but as the day advances, indications are the number will be almost 1000.

Never before in the history of Wichita Falls or Vernon has there been such intense interest in a football game. Both teams are reported to be in the pink of condition and both are expected to play their game. While they are battling here, Strawn and Cleburne are fighting a battle for supremacy in the other end of the district and the winners in each game will battle for championship of District Four and the winner will go up for state honors.

Vernon business men with few exceptions, will close their places of business at 3:30 o'clock so that everybody who wants to can go to the game. The Vernon Concert Band will play on the Court House Square and will then go to the Fair Grounds to furnish music during the game.

Last night hundreds of people attended the pep meeting at the High School and pledged their loyal support to the team. One side of the field will be set aside for Vernon Boosters and the other side for Wichita Falls.

The battle is scheduled to begin at 3:30 sharp.

## Fargo Couple Get Justice Out of Bed to Marry

Justice T. J. Giffith was aroused from his slumbers at 11 o'clock Wednesday night to perform a wedding wherein B. R. Beck and Miss Jewell Edwards, both well known young people of Fargo, were the contracting parties.

The couple was accompanied by Miss Stella and Alice Packer and Jess Ross, who witnessed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Beck. The couple will reside at Fargo.

## Speakers of Note at State Meeting of Federation

Speakers of prominence will address the State Federation of clubs at their meeting in Wichita Falls, September 13 to 17, inclusive.

Carrie Chapman Catt, one of America's most distinguished women citizens, will discuss the subject, "Peace or War?" on November 16, following the Pioneer dinner.

Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills' college, California, will appear on the program, the morning of November 17. The subject of her address will be "Four Years of the League of Nations."

Mrs. Emerich, national director Near East Relief, will discuss the subject, "The Near East."

Governor Patt M. Neff will be an honor guest at the Southern dinner, the subject of his address has not yet been announced.

The evening of the 13th, the State Federation of Music clubs presents the program for Fine Arts evening. Mrs. R. T. Skiles, state president, will preside. The outstanding feature of the evening will be the appearance of Karl Wilson Baker, distinguished American poet. Mrs. Baker will read selections from her own works.

The theme for the meeting is "International Relations."

## LEAD "PERFECT LIVES" FOR SCIENCE



Two groups of students in the Hahnemann Medical College and School of Science, in Philadelphia, have begun living the "perfect life" in order to subject themselves to important medical experiments. The experiments will last two months, during which time they will be given varying doses of a drug known only as "X," which is expected to have great medical value. Each man will keep an hourly diary, in which record his physical reactions. Half of the students are shown on their daily hike to keep in trim.

## THREE CHARGED IN ODELL CASE

### MEN HELD FOLLOWING ATTEMPT ROBBERY OF FARMERS STATE BANK

Three men picked up at Odell following the attempt robbery of the Farmers State bank at that place last week, have been charged by Sheriff Frank Edmondson with attempt burglary in connection with the case. The men, who at first refused to give their names later told the officers their names are Roy Lawson, Alfred Clark and A. V. Singleton and said they came from Temple, Oklahoma.

Over \$200 was found on the persons of the men when they were arrested in a rooming house at Odell. Officers say some of the bills were soiled.

A finger print expert from Fort Worth is enroute here and will take prints of the three men and their photographs to be sent to the Federal Bureau of Identification, clearing house at Fort Leavenworth to ascertain if they are wanted anywhere else and to find out if the identification given by them is correct.

The Odell bank was found to have a big hole dug in the wall and explosives were found nearby with burglar tools.

**Infant Buried Wednesday.**  
The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McDuff of Oklaunion, was buried Wednesday afternoon in East View cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. J. Mims at the grave. The little one was born November 7, and lived but a short time.

**Infant Dies Tuesday.**  
Minnie M., infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graf, died at their home Tuesday night after a short illness. Funeral services were conducted for the little one Thursday afternoon at East View cemetery by Rev. L. J. Mims, pastor of the First Baptist church.

## BUSINESS MEN MUST DECIDE

### TUTS WILL GET CONVENTION IF GIVEN HELP OF CITIZENSHIP

It is going to be up to the business men of Vernon to determine whether they want the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in 1925.

This was decided at a meeting of the King Tut club last night when a resolution was passed declaring that the King Tut members are determined to get the big convention here if the people want it and that the Tuts are willing to do most of the work in securing the convention, but first want to be assured that the city wants it and that the insurance must come from the business men.

The resolution declared some of the business men have not given the Chamber of Commerce the support they should have, that they have stood aside and let a few bear most of the burden and that the Tuts will not start after the big convention until the Chamber of Commerce has assurance from the business men as a whole that they are willing to do their part. The resolution asked the Chamber of Commerce to determine if Vernon as a whole will help go after the convention and then report back before the meeting November 20, when the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is to give a banquet to the King Tut club preliminary to starting a membership drive here.

Just previous to the discussion of the convention issue, the Tuts appointed a rooting committee to work with the high school rooters at the football game today.

## THOMPSON GETS 33 CENTS FOR BALE OF COTTON HERE

One bale of cotton which netted the owner \$180 was sold in Vernon this week. The bale belonged to J. D. Thompson and was raised on his farm Southwest of Vernon. It brought 33 cents per pound and the seed, after paying for the ginning, brought \$10.

## HEAVY SALES OF SEATS FOR OPERA COMING MONDAY

Impresario With Percy Hemus Expected to Draw People From Adjoining Counties Besides Home Music and Show Lovers

Throughout the entire radius accessible by automobile transportation with Vernon as the center, great interest in the forthcoming Lyceum Course is being expressed. This interest has now stretched beyond the county line and invaded Wilbarger County and many people from there are coming to see "The Impresario" Monday night. This week a representation of the Federal Clubs went to Elberta in response to a request and outlined the series for one of the most prominent clubs there. From all indications quite a number of people will be present from that city for each of the four well selected attractions to be here this season. From the other direction comes word that quite a large delegation will motor from Chillicothe to attend the "Impresario" next Monday night. It is believed that if the roads will permit representations from the many other towns in this territory will avail themselves of the opportunity to at least hear this phenomenal cast of singers.

With a very encouraging sale thus far the clubs are now anticipating an excellent audience to greet Percy Hemus and his associates stars upon Monday night. The season ticket sale is advancing nicely and these tickets may be procured right up until certain hour next Monday night. Single admission (reserved seats) for the opera will be one dollar for adults and also for children in high school. The children in the grade schools may secure tickets in the first three rows of the main floor at one-half price.

Word has just reached Vernon that the "Impresario" company is making musical history again this year. All the singers are in splendid voice and enjoying one grand march of triumph as they progress on their way from New York City to Los Angeles. In many of the cities they are old friends with their audiences, having appeared there in the past.

The costumes are beautiful, of satin brocade and satin. The company carries its own stage setting, of plush with plush front curtain.

Tom Skehill, the famous Australian soldier, poet-orator, will appear as the second number. His date is November 23. "Six Cylinder Love," a farce comedy with a lesson, will be here December 13, and the "Music Makers Male Quartet" will close the season on January 3.

## McCarter to Show Films When Tuts Are Dined Here

E. L. McCarter, organization manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has secured the film made recently when Governor Neff and delegates from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce visited Central America and the West Indies. He also has brought to Vernon the film made in Old Mexico several months ago when delegates went there and the two films will be shown here on the night of November 29 when the King Tut Club of Vernon will be banqueted by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Arrangements for the banquet, which is to be held at the Liberty Cafe, have already been made and every member of the Tut club is expected to attend.

## PRIZE MONEY FOR CLUB GIRLS RECEIVED TODAY

Cheeks were received here today for prizes won by Wilbarger County girls at the State Fair in Dallas. Geneva Priddy, member of the Hank Hill club is the highest winner from Wilbarger County at the Dallas Fair in girl's club work. Miss Priddy won first on cucumber pickles, first on jelly, first on article for home improvement, and four seconds, which amounts to fifteen dollars in cash and a year's subscription to County Life Magazine.

Helen Servatius, West Vernon, came second with a second ribbon on complete exhibit for second year work, and a cash award of \$7.00.

Nora Belle Lowe, Lockett Club, received the blue ribbon on an article for home improvement, a gingham window shade.

Lorena Wenzel received third prize on a quart of okra.

## SHE SHOOTS HUSBAND WHO MARKED FLOOR



Mrs. Betty Michaelson, of Chicago, who shot and probably fatally wounded her husband, Charles Michaelson, when he walked on a floor in their apartment which she had spent hours polishing. She had been doing this in celebration of the birthday party she intended giving her baby, Audrey, whom she is shown holding.

## HOT FOOD FOR PUPILS AT NOON

### PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION SERVE MEALS AT SCHOOL HOUSE

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Shive school has been serving hot soup to the school children for the past week. Both parents and teachers feel that the health of the school child demands a hot dish at the noon hour to supplement the cold lunch brought from home. At school where the hot dish has been served, not only the health of the child has been found to improve, but there is a general improvement in the work of the pupils, teachers in the work of the pupils teachers said. Mrs. L. A. Holler, president of the Parent-Teacher association said they hope to serve the hot dish throughout the year. Sometimes the different kinds of soups will be served—beef, vegetable or cream soups, and sometimes beverages such as thin custards or hot chocolate will be served. The supplementary dish will be sold as nearly at cost as possible. The women plan to clear two cents on each cup. This money will be placed in the piano fund at present, and later in the play ground equipment fund. Each child furnishes his own pint cup and spoon. The women take turn about with serving. Mrs. B. D. Flaniken superintended the serving Friday, Mrs. L. A. Holler Monday, Mrs. R. P. Webb Tuesday, Mrs. O. A. Swinburn Wednesday, and Mrs. J. B. Conelard Thursday.

An average of about thirty-five children are served daily.

## Wilbarger County Girls Win Prizes at Dallas Fair

Several Wilbarger County girls made unusual showings at the State Fair in Dallas, a number of them winning prizes on their work.

Helen Servatius' picture appears in this week's issue of the Semi-Weekly Farm News as a winner on complete exhibit of canning, sewing and home improvement, at the Dallas Fair. She is a member of the West Vernon Home Demonstration Club. Gladys Lowe, Lockett club, also appears in a group picture as a blue ribbon winner in individual prizes. Geneva Priddy, Hank Hill, won two blue ribbons and two reds in third year work, while Bert Raines, Harrold, won a ribbon on her Middy suit.

Winnie Goss's White Rock cockerel won a blue ribbon, and her pullets took first, second, fourth and fifth ribbons. All of these girls attended the State Fair on free trips won at the recent County Fair.

## DANCE AT ELK CLUB TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The Elks will give a dance to night at their club rooms. It is to be one of the features of the winter social program which has been inaugurated. The affair has been planned as one of unusual interest and good music has been obtained.

## Miss Garden Accepts Position.

Miss Peggy Garden, who came here a short time ago from Mineral Wells to accept a position with Kramer Studio, has resigned her position there and has accepted a place with Clifton Studio.

## MEETING TONIGHT TO DISCUSS ROAD BOND CAMPAIGN

Preliminary Session of Supporters Wednesday Night Resulted in Formation of Plans for Campaign of Education in County

Tax payers of Wilbarger County are to meet at the Chamber of Commerce in this city tonight at 7:30 o'clock to discuss detailed plans for the road bond campaign. A preliminary meeting was held Wednesday night at which N. R. Heath was elected chairman and R. E. Wafer secretary. Committees were appointed to get up facts regarding the proposed issue and just what it means to the county.

Enthusiasm was bound up at the meeting Wednesday night and with some of the heavy tax payers present the general sentiment prevailed that the bond issue will carry by a large vote over all opposition when once the tax payers realize the facts. The campaign to be made is one of education as the sentiment of every speaker was that the voters will be in favor of the bond issue when they understand it and realize how little they will have to pay in proportion to the money they will get from the State and Federal Governments and the general benefits to be derived.

An effort will be made to have people from all communities in the county to be present at the meeting tonight. It was decided that as many people will be here for the football game, those interested in the bond issue can remain over for the meeting.

Following the Friday night meeting the general campaign will be launched throughout the county to put accurate information before all voters regarding the bonds. Different committees will be assigned different territory and will arrange meetings at various points in the county where the proposition will be put before the public and the speakers will be prepared to answer any questions the voters may want to ask.

## PEP MEETING OVERFLOWS HALL

### HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE AT HIGH SCHOOL TO BOOST SPIRIT OF TEAM

The assembly room at the high school was filled to overflowing last night with business men, housewives, students and citizenship generally who gathered en masse for the pep meeting which was called to show the spirit of Vernon in boosting for the football game today. It was declared by some of the speakers that never before in the history of Vernon has there been so much enthusiasm over any one event.

Speakers at the meeting were M. C. Culbertson, who presided; R. M. Fielder, W. N. Stokes and Dr. L. J. Mims. In addition to the regular speakers whose talks were received with prolonged applause, there were others from the audience who made talks.

The yell leaders had their forces lined up and the entire building roared with the yells at stated periods.

Coach Galbraith made the closing talk and told the audience what he has done in training his team and said he had more confidence in this team than in any other he has ever trained. The entire school broke into applause for the Coach, showing appreciation for his work with the team and when the Coach said he would think just as much of the team if it loses as it wins, because he knows every man is going to do his best, the applause was deafening.

One of the features of the meeting was the statement by Dr. Mims that anything worth doing at all is worth praying over and at the close of the meeting Dr. Mims and Coach Galbraith gathered with the team in one of the class rooms.

## BUYS CHURCH AND THEN HE GIVES IT BACK

C. D. Shamburger of Wichita Falls, owner of a lumber yard here, bought a church building at sheriff's sale Tuesday on which B. H. McDonald had sued and got judgment.

The property, which is in Northwest Vernon, belonged to the congregation of the Pentecostal Sons of God. Mr. Shamburger gave the building back to the congregation.

## CRIMINAL COURT BEGINS MONDAY

### CIAL VENIRE ORDERED IN EMMETT KETCHERSID CASE

Criminal court begins next Monday morning and all cases not set for last term will be called at that time for setting. A special venire of 72 men has been ordered by Judge James V. Leak in the Emmett Ketchersid murder case which is to go to trial November 20. It is a great deal of interest in case and a large number of cases are to be heard.

Sides some 15 liquor violation cases are a number of other cases coming up for the week and it is probable that case wherein E. C. Williams of Union is charged with the murder of P. Emmett Pickett will also be tried at this term, officers say.

## Oil Explodes in Pipe Causing Lad Serious Injuries

Playing cannon with a shotgun and an iron pipe proved to be very serious pastime for Lawrence Olive of Fargo. A few days ago he tried to drive a shell into the pipe with the result that the exploded, the shell burst and the fingers were almost blown off one of the lad's hands.

Olive is reported to be recovering nicely from the accident.

## Masonry in Ancient Egypt.

Onto, Canada.—Information has been received here that recent excavations in the Sudan region of Egypt, of the ruins of Nubia, the capital of Ethiopia, have led to light an ancient temple finding a huge Masonic altar, showing much light on primitive Masonry.

ancient Egyptian wall paintings have been discovered which show a Pharaoh with the Masonic and holding in his right hand the crux ansata, or cross, the circular handle.

## Baptists to Join In Armistice Day Program Sunday

There will be no services at the Baptist Church Sunday night as was announced through mistake Tuesday. The special service for Armistice day will be preached by Dr. L. J. Mims, the pastor, at the church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, but in the evening the members of the church will join in the Armistice Day program to be held at the First Methodist church.

All plans are completed for the program Post Commander E. M. Haney said yesterday he expects the church to be filled.

## SHIP STEERS TO KANSAS FOR FEEDING PURPOSES

R. L. Castlebury and Alf Bonds left Wednesday night for Wichita, Kans., with seven car loads of steers which they will put on feed there to fatten for the market. The steers were taken from the range here and were in first class condition for feeders.



## VERNON THEATRE SPECIAL PICTURE

GLORIA SWANSON IN "BEYOND THE ROCKS" TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Tuesday and Wednesday—"Beyond the Rocks," a Paramount picture with Gloria Swanson in the stellar role, will be shown. The picture is based on Elinor Glyn's famous novel of the same name which has been a big hit several years ago. Rodolph Valentino, who supported her in "Morrow of the Lady Faith," is her leading man and he heads an unusually strong supporting cast.

But Gloria Swanson, Paramount star, can't swim a stroke!

That didn't deter her, however, when it became necessary for scenes in "Beyond the Rocks," from plunging into the ocean near Catalina Island, out of her own boat and then keeping up to the best of her ability until rescued by Rodolph Valentino, who plays the leading man's role.

"I never knew it was so hard to fall out of a boat into the water until I tried to do it in a natural way," observed the star, after the perilous scenes had been secured. "One of my ears accidentally slipped out of the earlock, however, and that gave me the idea. By pulling hard on one ear and then letting it slip out, and throwing myself to one side, I would seem naturally to fall right over the side of the tipping boat into the water. When I got my breath, I screamed for the rescue signal, and soon Mr. Valentino had reached me. At first I ducked him in my struggles, but finally I got my senses together and calmed down a little. Then they pulled us into a boat."

Although Miss Swanson was formerly heralded as a Mack Sennett bathing girl, she has never learned to swim.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.  
Money to loan on cars. W. W. Bennett. S3-66c

## PICTORIUM

TODAY, FRIDAY  
LAST DAY TO SEE

## DAYTIME WIVES

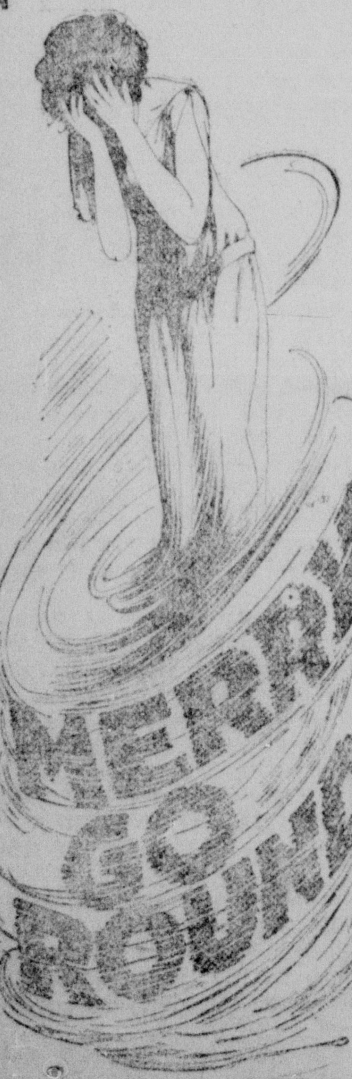
MONDAY AND  
TUESDAY

A Whirlpool  
of Human  
Emotions!

Starring

Mary Philbin  
the new sensational  
screen beauty, and  
Norman Kerry

the screen's handsomest  
lover supported by one  
of the greatest casts  
ever assembled for a motion picture.



Andy & Min "Gumps"  
in  
"WATCH PAPA"

## MUSTAPHA KAMEL ELECTED TURKISH PRESIDENT



Mustapha Kemal Pasha  
Ismet Pasha (Below)

Turkey having been declared a republic, with Ankara as its capital, Mustapha Kemal Pasha, who commanded the Turkish armies which successfully defended the Dardanelles in the World War and who drove the Greeks into the sea at Salonica, has been elected its President for a term of four years. He at once selected Ismet Pasha, his right hand man, both in the army and in political life, as his Premier.

## BROWN NEWS.

The farmers have been very busy the past week, as they have been delayed so much by the recent rains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Likely of Electra spent Sunday night and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

R. T. Lokens of Oklahoma spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hammons and W. C. Winslett visited Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tillier Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. James visited Mr. and Mrs. John Likely Sunday.

Misses Roxie and Ina Hammons and E. F. Likely spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Thompson.

Orvel Wheeler visited at Oklahoma Sunday afternoon.

M. E. Strange visited E. T. Likely Sunday afternoon.

Sunday will be Rev. J. W. Oller's day to preach.

There will be a box supper at Brown school home Saturday night, November 10. Everybody is invited to come.

There will be singing at Brown Sunday afternoon.

## BARGAINS IN USED CARS

We want to show you  
the following—

Ford Roadster  
AT  
\$50.00

Ford Touring  
AT  
\$70.00

Buick Four  
AT  
\$60.00

Maxwell Touring  
AT  
\$75.00

Overland Touring  
AT  
\$200.00

OVERLAND  
MOTOR CO.

## MERRY GO ROUND OPENS MONDAY

DAYTIME WIVES PLAYING  
LAST RUN AT PICTORIUM  
TODAY

"Daytime Wives," with Wyndham Standing, Grace Darnold, Derelys Perdue, William Conklin, Edward Hearn and Kathryn Lewis besides numerous other moving picture stars, is rounding its last engagement at the Pictorium today with a Mack Sennett comedy featuring Slim Summerville in "Her Fame and Shame." This picture is one of the season's best and is having big runs in the larger cities where the plot and the actors as well as the costumes, are receiving the most favorable of comment. It is an unusually strong picture.

One of the picture sensations of the year is "The Merry Go Round," the Universal Super-Jewel production which opens at the Pictorium Monday for a two day run, featuring Mary Philbin, Norman Kerry, Dorothy Wallace, George Hackthorne, Anton Everka, George Siegman and some of the best supporting characters on the screen.

Mary Philbin has leaped into fame in this picture and all over the nation she is being heralded as one of the rising stars of filmdom. The story in the film is one of dramatic love involving a poor girl of Vienna, Austria, and a Count who courts the girl while pretending to be a necktie salesman. It is a play that cost thousands of dollars to picture and has some of the prettiest settings of any picture made this year. It also strikes deep into the seat of post-war education wherein the poorer classes of the old world have learned that caste can not bind them if they have intelligence and seek knowledge.

## LOCKETT NEWS.

Mrs. Sarah Pigg returned home Thursday after a two week's visit with relatives in Farmers' Valley and Vernon.

Miss Naomi Linecum spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Linecum. Miss Naomi attends Chillum high school.

Mrs. Ed Standley has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Davenport attended the funeral of Mrs. Davenport's cousin in Vernon Monday.

Farmers in this community have started back to picking cotton and the Lockett gin is running night and day since the rains have stopped.

The Better Home Improvement club met last Monday afternoon with Mrs. Newell Frost. The afternoon was spent in making soap.

The following members were present: Mesdames D. W. Sylvester, M. H. Lewis, S. I. Davenport, H. W. Starnes, R. Hoffman, Jr., W. L. Martin, O. M. Pigg and Misses Eula Goodfellow, Joste Mae Davenport.

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## COOLIDGE CHRYSANTHEMUM IS FINEST IN THE LAND



When Mrs. Calvin Coolidge visited the Agricultural Department's Annual Chrysanthemum Show in Washington, as the guest of Secretary and Mrs. Wallace, she was honored and surprised by the announcement that the prize chrysanthemum of the exhibition had been named the "Grace Coolidge Chrysanthemum." This is the rare beauty that will bear the name of the First Lady of the Land.

and Inah Starnes.

There will be a call meeting Nov. 15 in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Starnes for the purpose of making dress forms.

Carl Hix, 23, died in this community last Sunday night of typhoid fever.

Frank Charles of Kaufman is here visiting his niece, Mrs. Orr Cato.

Rev. Edgar Pippin will fill the pulpit at Lockett Saturday at 11 o'clock and Sunday morning and night.

Rev. C. F. Booth of this community preached at Rayland last Sunday.

Pierce Phillips of Vernon visited friends at Lockett last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoffman, Jr., went to Vernon shopping last Saturday.

The box supper that was announced for the Lockett school last Friday night was called off on account of the rainy weather.

Miss Eula Goodfellow met with the club girls last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lockett were shopping in Vernon last Monday.

The roads in this community that were impassable during the rainy weather are getting dry and being dragged now.

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## RAYLAND NEWS.

Leaetta, Irene and Bill Jordan, Beatrice Booth, of Lockett, Edna and Mila Dale, Fred Duffie, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts, Mrs. Keel and Mrs. Edd Gunn visited in the B. E. Roberts home Sunday.

The musical at the home of Harry Cobb Saturday night was well attended. Every one reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Armstrong of Doans spent the last week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Armstrong, and Mrs. Laura Allen and daughter, Ruby, spent Sunday with Joe Jordan and family.

Misses Lola Watson and Leota Jarvis of Parsley Hill and Clifford and George Cribbs visited Misses Leaetta and Irene Jordan Sunday night.

Miss Beatrice Booth of Lockett was a guest of Miss Edna Dale Saturday.

Vernon visitors from here Saturday were: Lee Jordan and daughters, Leaetta and Irene, Jim Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins, Annie Jobe, Clifford Cribbs, Raymond Mears and Tony Allen.

The Antelope school opened Monday, Nov. 5, with 76 enrolled.

Edd Gunn was a Vernon visitor Monday.

The musical at the home of Fish Poole Monday night was well attended. Everyone enjoyed the music.

Fred Duffie and Fish Poole were

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Vernon visitors Monday.  
Miss Veva Lee Roberts entertained Tuesday night with a musical.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jordan and daughter, Irene, were Vernon visitors Wednesday.  
W. A. Walker of Vernon was in this community Tuesday.

## ELLIOTT NEWS.

Miss Mamie Raines and Miss Beatrice Hayes spent Sunday night with Mrs. Clyde Asmworth.  
Alpha Lemon visited his father and family Sunday.

Little Dewey Mae Dockery is reported to still be very sick.

Bob Lemon and sister, Mrs. E. R. Lee, visited their sister, Miss Essie Lemon, in a sanitarium at Vernon Sunday.

The death angel visited the home of Ira Luttrell and wife early Monday morning and took one of their

twin babies, one-year-old. The other one is very sick. The entire community extends sympathy to the family.

Osmond Stephens and Miss Ardie Patterson surprised their many friends by getting married in town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Da have been in Vernon the past at the bedside of little Dewey who was visiting her grandfather when taken sick.

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P. S.—NEW CAPS JUST ARRIVED.



## COTTON GINS WORK OVERTIME

NIGHT AND DAY SHIFTS HAND-  
LING CROP SELLING  
AT \$31.50

With every farmer in Wilbarger county working overtime to get his cotton out and the gins running night and day in most communities, ginning reports for this week showed a big increase over last week. With cotton coming in at a fast rate, the price has also continued to climb and middling cotton sold on the streets of Vernon yesterday at \$31.50 per pound with a steady market.

The ginning report for the week shows the following number of bales ginned to date this year:

City gins:	
Planters	895
E. and M.	214
Farmer	810
Peoples	779
Vernon	778

Total 3476

Rural gins:	
Oklahoma	871
White City	131
Odell	123
Harrold	375
Elbert	524
Lockett	1332
Tolbert	65
Fargo	520

Total 5068

Ginned outside of county, ginners' estimate 853  
Total for this year 9387  
This time last year 23129

## Correspondence Course Has Big 1923 Enrollment

Dallas, Nov. 8.—School superintendents, school principals, school teachers and persons who merely hope to be school teachers, principals, and superintendents some day, make up a sizable percentage of students enrolled in the correspondence school of Southern Methodist University this year. Twenty-five years ago correspondence school education was the subject of ridicule, much of which came from teachers who taught in the old-fashioned schoolroom in the old-fashioned way. Now teachers and prospective teachers are learning by correspondence how to teach in the old-fashioned way. Against a total enrollment of 72 in the correspondence school division last year, there are 212 enrolled this year, and thirty per cent of those enrolled are teachers or prospective teachers. Prof. H. K. Taylor, director of the extension department, said:

Few students in the correspondence division are interested in mathematics, which brings up the bottom of the list in point of popularity with seven per cent of the whole. Courses in the order of their popularity as shown by enrollment are: Education and Psychology, English, Spanish, History and Mathematics.

Students in the correspondence school division are classified by Mr. Taylor as follows: Graduates of affiliated schools who have the required college entrance units, yet for some reason are unable to attend college in person; teachers who desire to raise their certificates by preparing for state examination; and others who wish to add to their efficiency in the branches which they teach; college students who for financial or other reasons have dropped out of college but desire to continue their studies.

## CATTLE COST INVESTIGATION CONTINUES IN THIS SECTION

Ranchmen are watching with interest the progress being made by the State and Federal governments in the investigation of cost in producing range cattle in Texas. While this investigation has barely been organized the second report on the preliminary work has been issued by Dr. B. Youngblood and is to the effect that two experts already are in the field after having arranged with various ranchmen to conduct the investigations on their ranches. The object of the investigation is to determine the actual cost of producing beef cattle on the range and compare the same with producing the same weight through feeding as well as to determine, if possible, quicker and cheaper methods for the ranchmen in producing beef cattle.

## MISS PIERCE HEADS S. M. U. MUSIC CLUB

Miss Catherine Pierce of Vernon has been elected president of the Musical club of the Southern Methodist University. Miss Pierce is a talented musician and is a senior in both the music and literary departments.

## Presbyterian Church.

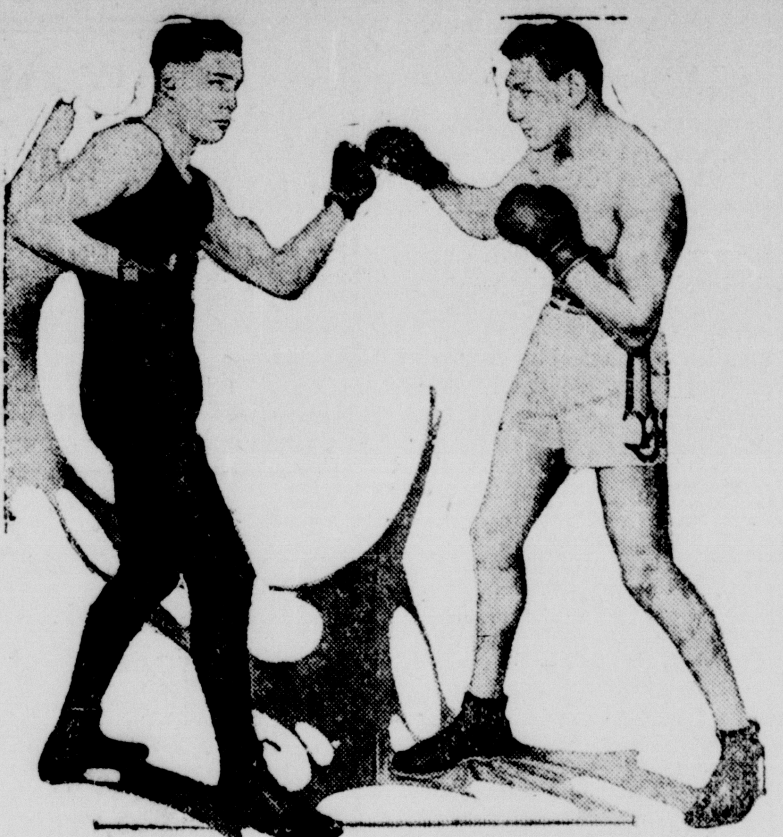
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "Looking at the Difficulty vs. Looking at God."

These services will be held in the Vernon Theater and we have every assurance that the house will be warm if the day is unpleasant. Be sure to come.

No evening service as we will take part in the union services at Methodist church in honor of the American Legion.

E. L. MOORE.

## WILL FIGHT FOR MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP



Harry Greb and Johnny Wilson

## Marvin Culbertson Gets 15,000,000 Marks in Postage

Ten years ago anybody with 15,000,000 German Marks would have been a millionaire in real honest to God United States money. In other words that many marks would have been almost \$2,000,000 real human dollars with the old bald eagle spreading his wings on one side. But, ziffle! Any kid with the price of a two-cent Uncle Sam stamp is now a millionaire in Germany, or it might be said a millionmarker.

Marvin C. Culbertson got a letter from Berlin this week and it took almost \$2,000,000 to bring it—that is almost two million at the former price of the German Mark before Kaiser Bill took too many liberties with the world. In fact it took just 15,000,000 Marks to bring the letter from Berlin to Vernon.

## METHODISTS TO SUPPORT UNIVERSITY LIBERALLY

Dallas, Nov. 8.—The five conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will contribute \$125,000 to the support of Southern Methodist University here this year. Of this amount \$75,000 will come from the North Texas Conference. The money, already pledged, will be collected between Nov. 25 and Dec. 6 when a "pay-up campaign" will be put on in the several districts of each conference.

## Card of Thanks.

To the many friends who were so kind and sympathetic during the sickness and death of our darling son, may God bless you all.

MR. AND MRS. C. H. MCCORD,  
Seymour, Texas.

Mrs. Frazier Bell returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Iowa Park and Wichita Falls.

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Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel. Puckett Bros. 87-21c

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## OPPORTUNITY FOR EDUCATION

FUND AT UNIVERSITY OF  
TEXAS TO LOAN MONEY  
TO STUDENTS

Austin, Texas, Nov. 8.—"No capable student need to resign from the University of Texas because of a lack of money, if he is willing to borrow from the Students' Memorial Loan Fund," says Alfred Ellison, "Austin treasure of the Ex-Students' Association, who has just submitted a report of the fund to the trustees.

The Students' Memorial Fund has now been in operation for four years, beginning with the session of 1919-1920, and during that time a total of \$45,423.25 has been loaned to 276 individual students. A total of \$11,651.27 has been repaid by borrowers. Repayments for the last year have totaled \$6,750.00, an increase of approximately \$2,000 over the previous year. During the last year, loans amounting to \$9,887.25 have been made to 65 students. For the previous year, loans amounted to \$9,194.28. The rate of interest charged is six per cent.

"Many of these students have won the highest scholastic distinction possible in the University," asserts Mr. Ellison, "and with our strikingly few exceptions all the students helped have made excellent records. In each case it has been the aim of the trustees to restrict loans to those whose need of financial assistance was imperative, and at least half of the loans are granted to relieve emergencies that arise during the year, where, unless financial aid was offered, the students would be forced to leave college."

Mrs. R. M. Fielder returned Sunday from Gustine where she went to attend the funeral of her father.

Spencer F. Moore, primitive Baptist minister, of Maude, held services Wednesday and Thursday nights at the West Vernon school house.

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## WHITE CITY NEWS.

White City school opened Monday morning, Nov. 5, with Miss Leah Smith, principal, Miss Idelle Davis, intermediate, and Mrs. Emma Lou Kest, primary.

The trustees have put the building in first class condition, bought new shades for all the windows, added heavy screen to all the windows, etc. The attendance is not so good, but better than was expected on account of the late cotton.

The weather cleared up last Sunday and cotton picking is in full blast and will be till Christmas. We have been delayed a month by rain, and the cotton has been damaged a great deal.

C. L. Adams and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Pleasant Valley community, the guests of their brother, J. H. Adams and family.

J. R. and L. E. White and J. M. Knapp went to Vernon Saturday, also W. B. Covert, Leo Phillips, Mrs. Jim Kays and Misses Ophelia and Jewel Kays and W. L. Johnson and family.

Rev. W. W. Adams and L. A. Anderson were in Vernon Monday.

Reginald Hobson of Fort Worth came home last Saturday and will be here until after Thanksgiving.

J. R. White, W. B. Covert, M. A. Mayfield, W. B. Germany, G. A. Bell, Mr. Blackburn and J. M. Knapp and wife were Vernon visitors Monday.

Leo Armstrong and family of Doan's spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams.

Mrs. O. D. Stowe and little Mary Joe spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, W. W. Adams and wife.

Joe Kirkpatrick is on the sick home.

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Mrs. S. R. McKinnon and children of Chillicothe were here yesterday.

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E. L. McCarter returned Thursday from Brownwood.

Thomas Evans is seriously ill at his home in Southwest Vernon.

Mrs. S. C. Hogsett has returned from a visit with relatives in Altus, Okla.

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## Sincere Appreciation

to those friends who so notably honored us during the past few days. While it is true we are offering the most remarkable values of any store in Vernon, and while we expected this sale to start with a rush, we must confess we never expected such crowds as have thronged our store since the opening.

For all these things we publish this word of hearty thanks and true appreciation, with a firm resolve to continue to give our friends the very best values in CLOTHING, SHOES, and FURNISHINGS. You can save money in this sale.

## Here's a few bargaing. Many more awaiting you

 <p>Lot No. 1708—Three Piece Men's Suits; Strictly up to date in every respect. Only have 6 of these suits. They are worth \$25.00. Sale price only <b>\$19.85</b></p> <p>Closing out one big lot of Men's Hats; All kinds, all sizes; all styles. Special price, each <b>\$1.98</b></p> <p>Beautiful black Satin ankle strap Pump, special <b>\$6.95</b></p>	<p>Lot No. 1709—Consists of 10 Men Suits that formerly sold up to \$35.00; to see these suits means a sure sale. Sale price <b>\$26.45</b></p> <p>Boys' Overcoats a nice line to choose from; Easily save from \$5.00 to \$7.00. Former values up to \$14.00. Sale price <b>\$7.95</b></p>	 <p>Lot No. 700—Like this illustration, special price <b>\$6.95</b></p>
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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of The Record, will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.

## OUR ROAD TAX SITUATION.

The purpose of the constitutional amendment giving the control of the state highways to the State and relieving the counties of any obligation to build and maintain them, which was declared invalid before the election by the Attorney General because of failure of the Secretary of State to advertise it for the required time, was to take the burden of building and maintaining our highways from property and place it on the motor car, where it properly belongs.

If such an amendment is adopted the property owner is the one who will benefit most by it. Instead of levying taxes on real and personal property for supporting bond issues for highway improvement, the expense will be taken care of through gasoline and automobile taxes.

This plan will bring into operation a principle that should underlie every economic move, namely, that those who make use of an improvement or those who use most largely its service should bear the bulk of the cost of maintaining such an enterprise or service. The automobiles make the largest use of the highways. Therefore the owners of automobiles should bear the bulk of the burden of building and maintaining the highways.

Until this policy is adopted, a man living in another state may travel over the paved highways of Texas without contributing one penny to their upkeep, but with the gasoline tax in effect, every time he fills his gas tank in Texas he contributes something toward the maintenance of the roads in this state. Nothing could be fairer.

This is merely one of many reasons why the property owners of Wilbarger County should support the bond issue for roads on November 24, and then vote for the constitutional amendment when it comes to a vote next year. If we vote the bonds in Wilbarger County we will get \$800,000 in outside money to help build our highways. Then when the State takes over the highways, following the adoption of the constitutional amendment, we will get back the money we have spent to match Federal and State aid.

If we vote down the bond issue, we will keep on paying taxes to help create the Federal and State



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road funds and the money will be spent elsewhere. The people of Wilbarger County will undoubtedly reject the idea that we should pay taxes and then refuse to allow any of the money to be spent in our county.

## THE TECHNICALITIES OF THE LAW.

There are often heard complaints against the tendency of the courts to make decisions in cases in both civil and criminal cases on what are popularly termed technicalities. It does seem to the laymen sometimes that too much emphasis is placed upon technical questions, but very often if we take time to inquire into what is termed a technicality we will discover that, while it might not have had any bearing on the merits of the particular case at bar, there are contingencies under which a disregard of some technical point might very seriously affect the rights of some individuals.

The trouble is to determine how far it is safe to go in overlooking technical requirements of the law. If technical and detailed requirements are set aside in one set of circumstances such action can be made to justify a disregard of the exact provisions of the law under different circumstances when some vital legal right would be jeopardized. The conclusion of such a course would ultimately result in a complete breakdown of all laws. In a civilized country we must be governed by law. To seek to follow what is popularly termed "the rule of reason" is to invite destruction to our rights under the law, because it must be remembered that the so-called rule of reason is a variable quantity. What is reasonable to some is ridiculous to others. Our reasons are creatures of education, environment and temperament.

Some would construe the rule of reason, to use a particular instance, to the clothing of peace officers with the authority to search, without warrant, the private premises of a citizen if the officers suspect that the citizen had intoxicating liquors on his premises. Nothing could be more obnoxious to a free people than to subject their persons and homes to search without the formality of obtaining a search warrant from a court authorized to issue such writs. Yet we have men in Congress who sought to write this vicious principle into our prohibition laws. On the other hand, there are those who would construe the rule of reason to mean that they could transport liquors or keep them on their premises and persons on the bare statement that they intended to violate no law.

This illustrates why it is necessary to have written laws and why it is equally necessary that the courts follow them both in letter and spirit. A thing as variable as "the rule of reason" is an unsafe guide to the safeguarding of the rights of citizens, and if more of us would understand and appreciate this fact there would be less criticism of courts when they follow what are termed technicalities of the law.

## SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS

They say that President Alvaro Obregon is such a staunch prohibitionist that he will not allow liquor in the national palace. That's what you might call a desert within an oasis.

A man without any kind of religion is like an electric light globe without electricity.

"The Democratic party in Texas can no more be run without whiskey than the Baptist church can without water," so wrote Brann many years ago. Some of the various substitutes we have had for Democracy in the last few years would indicate Brann might have been right.

Hypocrisy is the Devil's two edged sword.

God created man a human being, but some men have changed so since then that there are those who think man was created a monkey.

The man who wrote "The Road to Hell is paved with good intentions" was all wrong. The road to Hell isn't paved at all and there's no record to show that they even ever contemplated a petition for a bond issue in the Hell district.

All officers know that everybody wants the law enforced provided it is enforced on the other fellow.

West Texas weather has certainly been changeable during the past week—quite feminine, we should say.

## APPLIED EDUCATION.

(By Phoebe K. Warner)  
To the School Boys and Girls of Texas:

By dear Boys and Girls: This is for you. Every school day for seventeen years somebody went from our home to school every morning, and every evening along about 4:20 came home again. But "them days is gone forever." The last one received his high school diploma last May and they are all out and gone. The school bell has a new meaning to us this year. It used to mean "Hurry, hurry, Mother. Where is my dinner and my books and my pencil?" And away they went for another day of happy, thoughtless, care-free, education. No, education was about the last thing the children think of when they are going to school. The most they get in education is rather accidental and mechanical.

The school bell sounds more like the knell of a day that is past and gone for us this year. But we rejoice in the future of our boys and girls and hope it is only a few more years until every school boy and every school girl in Texas will have an equal chance to go to school and stay in school until you are all high school graduates. Every one of you is entitled to a high school diploma if you are willing to do the work that is necessary to get it. And NOBODY has a right to deprive you of it. It is yours by inheritance as a child of this State and Nation. And no one has any more right to bar you from having a high school diploma than they have to rob you of your share of your own father's estate. We wish every parent in this State would get that. But a lot depends on you, the boys and girls of today. And while there are thousands of children held out of school because of many and diverse and adverse conditions there are thousands and thousands of boys

and girls who are deliberately robbing themselves of their educational birthright simply because YOU will not try to go to school until you receive your high school diploma. This little message is to URGE every school boy and school girl in Texas to STAY in school and if need be put up the fight of your young life to finish the free public school course.

Boys, this fine old world is moving along at a much faster pace than it was when your father or grandfather was your age and unless you get a good running start with it in boyhood you will never be able to keep up with the boys of your day and when the years of manhood come YOU will find yourselves away farther behind the men of your day than your father or grandfather did. And very likely if THEY had had your chance to go to school they would have used it. And the same is true of our girls who are feeling way their school days instead of using them. How it always did hurt me to see one girl who had ambition and brains and wants to go to school and make the most of herself held back because of illness, or work or lack of a good school within her reach and then just a few miles away there are other girls flitting with their opportunities and wasting their lives because they do not know what it means to want anything not even a high school education.

But this is not what we started to say at all. We want to talk a minute about applied education because we see it actually coming into fashion. Education has never been fashionable. It has never been popular and that is the greatest reason this very day so many boys and girls leave school before they even have a real taste of knowledge. And why has education never been fashionable or popular? Simply because the great bulk of what the world has called education has been something that could not be APPLIED to life and its needs. And youth especially could see no relation between what they were told to learn at school and what they had to do when they went back home. And even that which they learned at school that

might have been applied in some form of useful work the very day they learned it was not applied to anything in particular and consequently the school boy feels little or no interest in it.

Did you ever see a boy or girl get so tired of anything they were learning to DO that they are willing to throw it up forever. Why don't they get tired of football and baseball and basketball and tennis. It is because every new lesson they learn on the field today they apply in the game tomorrow. How much interest do you think even college students would take in football if they had never played a game or seen a game played? Just read about it in their history or arithmetic or geography. What good would it do to learn to know all the rules of the game if they never had a chance to apply the rules? Not much. Oh, yes it is nice to know things. And a lot of folks measure their education by what the other fellow does not know. They seem to think we should recognize them for what they know whether they know how to use it or apply it to any purpose or not.

Last year the San Saba Star put into action something that we believe will reach around the whole State in a few years. It worked with the teachers and the pupils of the whole county to publish the San Saba School News. It helped the teachers to know one another better. It brought the whole county together in one educational interest. It reported every parent-teacher meeting in the county, every contest, every entertainment, every new school building, every improvement. It gave the honor roll, it advertised everything good the schools of the county did all year. But all these are the least such a project did. It gave every child in every school in the county a chance to apply their lessons learned in English to the publication of a sure-enough paper. And this year, the Claude school is publishing its school paper. The Memphis school is publishing a real school paper. The Tahoka school has a special place to fill in the Lynn County News. The Wellington school and the Childress school, and scores of other schools all over the State are

applying their lessons learned in English to the printed pages of their home papers. What's the result?

One big result is the people will all learn more about their home school. But the most far-reaching result will be the thousands of high school boys and girls that will discover their weak places in their English when they try to apply their knowledge of English to actual work. They will find out what they do NOT know as well as what they do know. And right then and there they will feel the need of knowing more about English. And they will go back to school more eagerly and study more carefully the simple rules of English. And they will have a new interest in their school work because they have tested it and found it did or did not apply to their needs.

Applied education. That is what we want. That is what we need. The biggest opportunity of the public school today is to find ways to APPLY what the children are learning day by day. And they would never leave school if they could be taught how their education is to be applied to their lives. For after all it is not what we KNOW but it is what we know and know how to apply to the needs of the world that counts.

## Derington-Derington.

Last Sunday just after noon a party of young people drove up to the parsonage of the Central Christian Church and asked for the pastor, Rev. Lewis P. Kopp. The pastor was asked to perform a wedding ceremony at the parsonage, which he did uniting Willie Derington and Miss Effie Derington in marriage. The young couple, attended by several friends, left immediately after the ceremony for their home near Crowell.

Mrs. Laura M. Badgett of El Paso, is in Vernon attending court as a witness in a land case.

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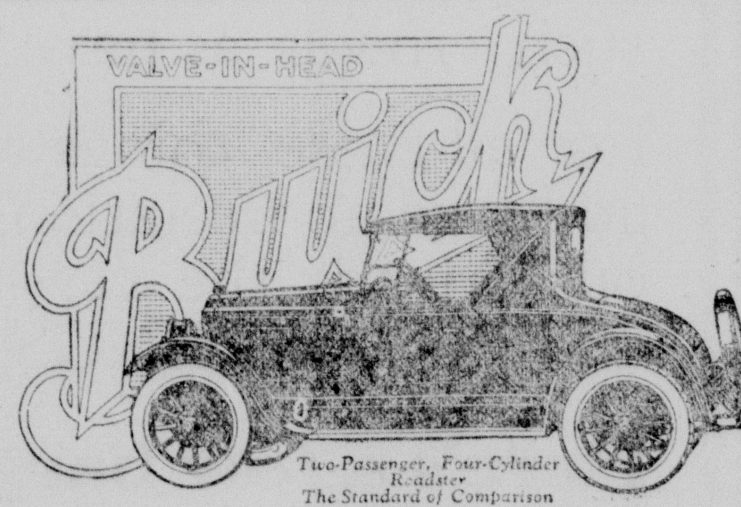
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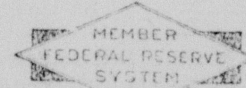
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## HARD FIGHT ON FOR CONVENTION

VERNON TO HAVE STRONG OP-  
POSITION AT BROWNWOOD  
NEXT YEAR

With other cities than Vernon planning to land the 1925 West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, the fight to bring the convention here is expected to be one of the hardest battles Vernon Boosters have ever had. While Vernon has won a great deal of support from this entire section, it is to have powerful opposition and the general feeling up and down the Denver appears to be that Vernon must get busy and start its fight if it is to win at Brownwood in 1925.

Regarding the duty of a commercial organization and why every town should support such an organization, Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has recently issued the following statement:

"Why should a city have a commercial organization? Because if it lives up to its duties, it will be the most potent force in the community for progress. Its duties are to do anything and everything necessary for and incident to the up-building and the better building of the city and its environs. Its duty is not only to make a city grow but also to make it a better, a more sanitary, a prettier and more enjoyable place in which to live.

"Its province or field of work reaches out into every branch and takes cognizance of every phase of the city's life. The commercial interests, wholesale, retail, and manufacturing; the professional interests; the government of city, county and state, the social side of the city's life where it touches the question of public morals and health; all of these and in truth every channel of activity comes under its practical eye.

"The commercial organization has a first duty in that it must bring all of the elements of the entire community, county as well as city together into one compact body working for the uplift of the community. It must teach the individuals composing these elements the lesson of achievement through co-operation. It must arouse the citizenry from the old time lethargy to a quickened interest, and always and everywhere preach the gospel of sane, safe and sound development, unselfishness, public-spiritedness and civic pride. Its motto must be, 'If it's good for the community, then let us have it.' When helps the city as a whole, has a like beneficial effect upon everyone within its boundaries.

"Not only the business and professional men make good 'boosters,' but also the young men, the clerks in the stores, the women both in the house and in the office or store and the children in the schools. It is the duty of the commercial organization to so spread its propaganda of development as to obtain the efficient aid of all these forces. Many organizations secure much of their force and power from their women's auxiliaries. In campaigns for sanitation and beauty their help is incalculable.

"The commercial organization has a duty toward the city government which it cannot afford to overlook in spite of the howls of the politician who knows his power is on the decline when the business interests cast their microscopic eyes of investigation upon his maneuvers. Every effort should be made to work with the administration in an amicable way, but if this is not possible, it is the duty of the commercial organization to continue to interest itself in the affairs of the city government."

### UNION NEWS.

Misses Vera and Lorene Cox spent Wednesday with Misses Ethel and Janie Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolton of Vernon.

Ocie Wilbanks attended the football game between Vernon and Quanah Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chastine of Lockett were visiting in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Leverett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nunn, C. E. Knowles, T. C. Wiseman and sons, Otis and Charles, Buster Baker and R. H. Hampton, were among the Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Baker gave the young folks a dancing party Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. L. Combs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson Sunday.

Miss Katherine Wilbanks visited Miss Annie Blitchfield Wednesday.

A. M. Hampton of Lockett visited his brother, R. H. Hampton Friday.

Dolphus Nunn is still very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bess were Vernon visitors Thursday evening.

Next Sunday evening there will be preaching here. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Leverett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Shores of West Vernon Saturday and Saturday night.

The party given by Miss Stephens was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. S. I. Davenport of Lockett visited Mrs. H. S. Stephens Saturday afternoon.

Everybody is enjoying the fair

## ONLY AMERICAN MANNEQUIN IN PARIS.



Miss Marguerite Ebert

Above is shown Miss Marguerite Ebert, a Kansas girl, who is the only American mannequin in Paris. She has taken that means of earning the money to complete her studies for the operatic stage. She makes her operatic debut next year, and in the meantime continues to prove that she is able to wear gowns even more charmingly than the French mannequins.

weather. There will be lots of cotton gathered now, as it is opening fast.

A pretty good sized frost fell here Tuesday morning. The first we have had this fall.

A. H. Knowles was in Vernon on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Matthews spent three days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Birchfield.

Misses Ethel and Janie Hampton visited Misses Dorothy and Nellie Mae Wilbanks Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Leverett and Mrs. W. A. Nunn visited Mrs. Leslie Bess Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilbanks gave the young folks a singing Sunday night. A large crowd was present.

### FARGO NEWS.

The Fargo school began last Monday with fairly good attendance. Several patrons were present. The faculty for the term is as follows: R. C. Hankins of Fort Worth, superintendent; Misses Dungan, of Electric, Mary Chambers of Shamrock, Leona Mason and Ethel Sweetman are the assistants.

Mrs. Valen Cooper and baby of Electric are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Criso.

Mrs. Charlie Mason, of Odell,

visited the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. Jimmie Coffee.

The roads have been almost impassable up until this week.

Miss Lillian Sweetman has returned to Hank to begin her school. The school has been closed so the pupils could help pick cotton.

Mrs. Sosby left this week for Parker county to visit her daughter.

Mrs. F. M. Sweetman and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mason and family.

Miss Leola Smith opened her school at White City last Monday. Miss Smith is principal of the school.

Miss Lucile Marr went to Doans Monday to begin her school. She is one of the assistant teachers at Doans.

There was no preaching services at the Baptist church Sunday on account of the pastor having a badly swollen arm and hand, caused by a mosquito bite.

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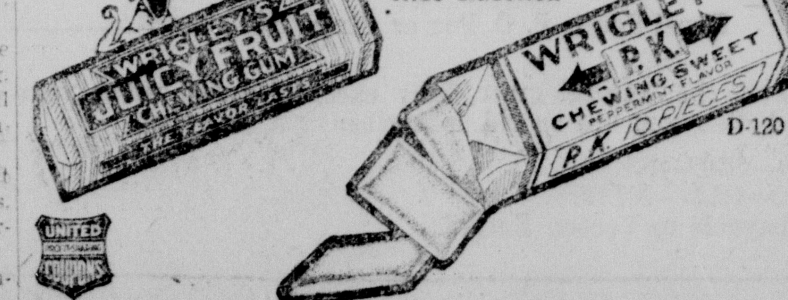
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## PAGEANT OPENS SUNDAY MORNING

FORT WORTH DIAMOND JUBILEE TO BE BIG EVENT FOR WEST

Depicting the development of Texas and clothed in the wealth of color and sentiment of the Southwest, will be the story told in the Pageant of Progress, of the Diamond Jubilee at Fort Worth, Nov. 11th to 14th, inclusive. Fourteen episodes, every one as nearly historically correct as is humanly possible to cast, will be required to tell the Fort Worth and Texas has grown and prospered in the last seventy-five years. The script has been prepared from history, and direction of the pageant placed in the hands of one skilled in historical art, Mrs. E. H. Hanley, of New York City.

The cast calls for 2,500 people, a large number of horses, cattle and other equipment including a tribe of Comanche Indians. Only this week it was decided to stage the affair in the Coliseum, the great building which houses the Southwest Exposition. Every seat in the great structure will be free to those who are visitors to Diamond Jubilee. There will be no reservations for a selected few, but every seat will be as free as the air. The pageant is one of the most expensive single entertainment features ever staged in Fort Worth or Texas. It is the gift of the people of the city to all of Texas.

A flying circus in which not less than 50 airplanes and bombers will be engaged is another salient feature. One battle formation calls for fifty planes in the air at one time, also a number of balloons. Aerial warfare, parachute jumping, plane exchanging and other hair raising stunts are on the program. This is undoubtedly the greatest air circus ever staged in the Southwest.

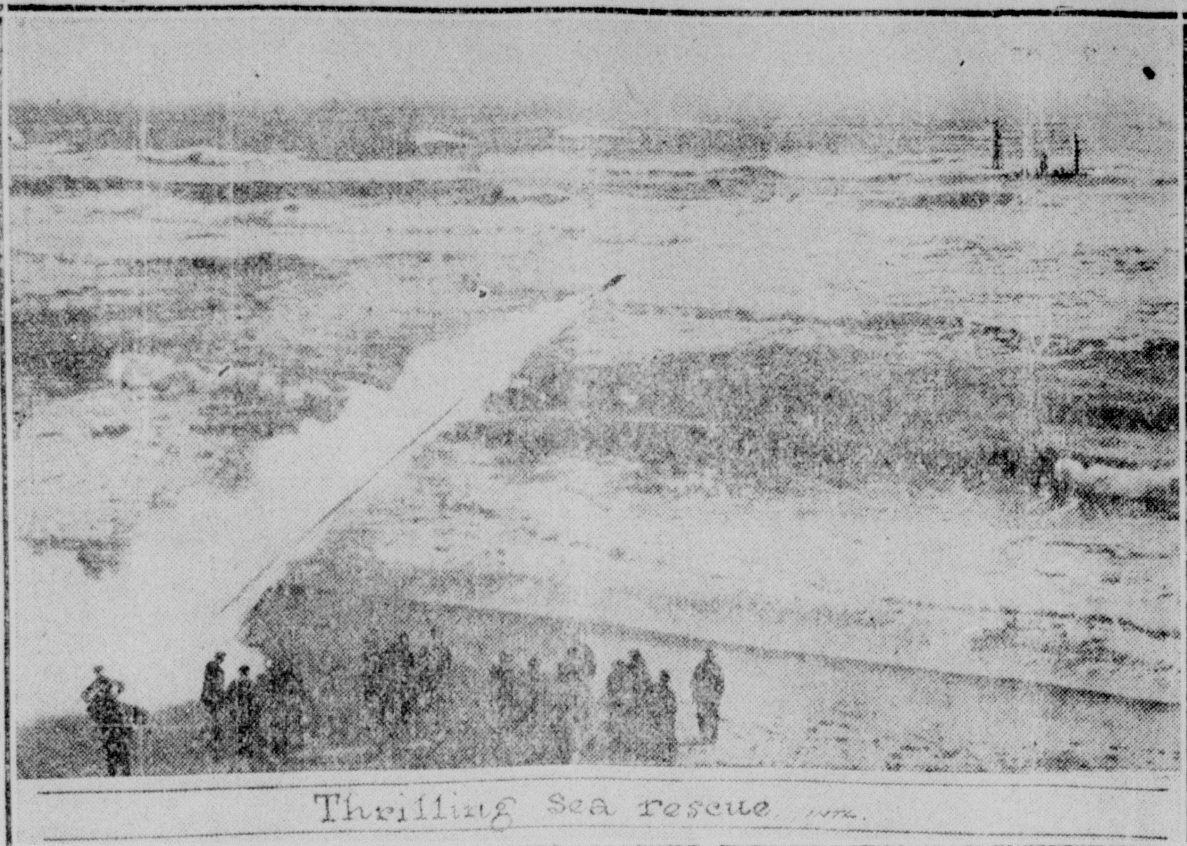
There are more than a hundred different athletic events, including football, basketball, volley ball and other court games. Something of the magnitude of the athletic and community affairs can be visualized when it is known that forty-one neighborhood functions will be in progress at one time. These are all under the direction of the Recreation Department of the City of Fort Worth of which W. C. Batchelor is director.

Monday will be the day of the former service men. It has been designated as "Home Coming Day" for the boys who trained at Camp Bowie in the old 36th Division and who trained at Camp Travis of the old 90th and the three aviation fields of Fort Worth. On this day it is expected that many thousands of the boys will come back home to participate in the events of the day and to visit friends of training camp days.

A giant cake weighing 800 pounds, three feet deep and six feet in diameter, is to be cut and served to the soldiers participating in the parade Monday. Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton has been invited by the service men of Fort Worth to carve and serve the cake. He will have as assistants many women and girls of the Bothwell Kane Post, American Legion. General Barton served with a great number of the men and won a D. S. C. for gallantry. He is also the only man in the American army to have a hill of a French battle field named for him. Three Victory balls will be given Monday night honoring the service men.

Tuesday will be Mayor's Day. This feature is under the direction and management of the Kiwanis Club and already more than 100 mayors of Texas have accepted invitations to be present as guests at Fort Worth. Men of international reputation, including William Randolph Hearst, Arthur Brisbane, O. O. McIntyre, Sammie Gompers and

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## LONGHORNS AND BEARS TO PLAY

BIG GAME AT BAYLOR TOMORROW TO BE SOUTHWESTERN EVENT

Austin, Nov. 8.—"We will have to improve 50 per cent in our offense before we can hope to score one touchdown against Baylor University Saturday in Waco," stated E. J. "Doc" Stewart, the head Longhorn football coach, after seeing the Baylor-Aggie game last Saturday. "Our line will have to be strengthened, too, if we expect to hold the Bears in check," said Coach Stewart. The chief Longhorn mentor left his team in charge of Coaches Seddon and Waite when the locals played Rice here and went to Waco to watch his two most formidable foes in action.

"Baylor has a wonderful team this year," according to the Longhorn coach. The Bears won the Southwestern championship last

year and judging from their record this year they are equally as strong now, Coach Stewart pointed out.

Since the Vanderbilt game the Longhorns have not played good football. The Southwestern Placers recently ran through the Texas line at will in the first quarter. The Rice Owls stopped the Longhorn offense here Saturday. Joe Ward, a linesman, was out into the backfield in the third quarter. He was the only Longhorn player who could gain consistently against the Owls.

Realizing that his team has only an outside chance to win over Baylor, Coach Stewart is working his players overtime this week. He is particularly trying to improve the backfield. Bully Gilstrap, a regular end, is being used in the backfield in practice. Gilstrap is big and fast but has an injured hip. This injury has lessened his value to the team this year. Joe Ward is being used at full back in practice. Joe hits the line hard but is unaccustomed to playing in the backfield. The fact that these linesmen have been moved to the backfield shows that Coach Stewart believes that his present offense is inadequate, according to University athletic officials.

All year the Orange and White have been weak at tackle and end. The Longhorn tactics are very light and are at a disadvantage against

the powerful Baylor line. Coach Stewart has done nothing but experiment all year with his ends. At the beginning of the season he used Gilstrap and Curtis there. Gilstrap already has been transferred to another position while Curtis has not been played regularly. Newell and Sherrer, two freshmen of last year, have been used on the wing positions considerably lately. However,



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both lack experience. George Luhn, the other veteran end, is very light in weight.

Saturday will be a holiday at the University and over 1500 students plan to go to Waco for the game. The Longhorn band and Cow Boy organization will be there, too. The students realize that Baylor will have a big advantage in playing on their home grounds. They believe their attendance at the game will encourage the Longhorns in their most important game of the season so far.

**Central Christian Church.**  
Every family in the church is asked to bring either sandwiches and pie or a basket dinner with enough extra that all guests may be provided. District Evangelist L. R. Hunkleberg will be with us and speak at 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Dinner from 12 to 1:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services. Bible school 9:45 a. m. as usual. We will have no service at 7 p. m., so all can attend the American Legion service at the Methodist church.

**Lutheran Mission Festival.**  
The annual mission festival will be celebrated at Zion Lutheran Church, November 11th. The Rev. J. A. Birnbaum of Vernon and the Rev. C. Napier of Electra will be the preachers. An English mission festival will be held in the evening, beginning at 7:30. All are welcome.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. theme "The Creation of Man." The American Legion worships with the Baptists Sunday morning. Sundays at 3 p. m. All E. Y. P. U.'s at 6 p. m. There will be no preaching services Sunday evening because of the special American Legion services at the Methodist church.

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## HISTORY OF NEW MEXICO COMPLETE

PROF. HACKETT OF TEXAS UNIVERSITY WRITES VALUABLE VOLUME

Austin, Nov. 1.—Dr. Charles W. Hackett, associate professor of Latin American history in the University of Texas, is the editor of a 500-page volume of historical documents which has just been published by the Carnegie Institution of Washington, D. C. It is the first of a series of four volumes dealing with historical documents relating to New Mexico, Nueva Vizcaya, and approaches thereto, to 1773. The second volume is now ready to go to the publishers, and the others will be completed within the next two years. According to Dr. J. Franklin Jameson, director of the department of historical research and editor of the American Historical Review, the work has furnished a signal addition to the materials for understanding the early history of the Southwest.

Historical documents in the volume were collected by Dr. and Mrs. Hackett, and they relate to the Pueblo Indians and the historical approaches thereto. After the death of Dr. Dandellier, in 1914, the work was in 1917 turned over to the Carnegie Institution to Dr. Hackett, who was then a member of the faculty of the University of California. He was added to the staff of the University of Texas history faculty in the following year. The Spanish texts and English translations have been edited by him with comprehensive introductions and annotations.

"Careful examination of the manuscript," comments Dr. Jameson, in a review of the first volume, "shows that the work of transcription, comment, and the supplying of introductions has been performed with scrupulous painstaking and accuracy. It contains two parts of the material collected: First, that relating to the period in the expansion of Spain in North America comprised between 1492 and 1590, and secondly, that relating to the founding of New Mexico, 1580-1600, in the first section, after a comprehensive introduction, Dr. Hackett presents a body of reports relating to the service and merits of discoverers and conquistadores of New Spain, a body of cedulas, and letters relating primarily to Indian affairs in Nueva Galicia and Nueva Vizcaya and adjacent regions in the later years of the sixteenth century, and several documents relating to the early colonial administration of New Spain—all new material and of much interest. The second section presents some fifty new and unpublished documents respecting the exploration and settlement of Mexico and its organization in its earliest years.

"The results of Dr. Hackett's labors," he continues, "are presented to the reading world with gratitude to him, to Dr. and Mrs. Banderier, to Señor Don Pedro Torres Lanzas, director of the Archives of the Indies, and to others from whose collections supplementary materials for understanding the early history of the Southwest."

### RED RIVER NEWS.

Ben Dodson, Emmett Perry, Jennings McDougal, Frank McDougal, M. S. McCollum, W. G. Perry, P. H. Bingham, Jake Neal, J. N. Wright, Chas. Neal, Cass Shaw, H. C. Parks, Chas. Killough, T. A. Hamilton, and H. N. McDougal were Odell visitors last week.

Opal McDougal visited Edna McCollum Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Cook visited Miss Opal Bingham Sunday.

Miss Opal McDougal visited Miss Gladys Bratcher Sunday.

Mr. Boyd spent Sunday with M. S. McCollum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Olive of Hank Hill were business visitors Thursday.

Wanted—One hundred second-hand heaters and cook stoves. Vaughn Merc. Co. Phone 558, W. Main Street.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

## Gifts Individual

Beautiful quality box stationery printed with name or attractive monogram—

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### SOLD U. S. HOSPITAL SITE BY ALLEGED "PULL."



E. L. Morse

Additional sensations were created in the Senate investigation in Washington, into the affairs of the United States Veterans' Bureau during the administration of Colonel Forbes. E. L. Morse, Republican political leader in Missouri, it was alleged, cleared nearly \$100,000 on the sale of his home at Excelsior Springs, Mo., as a site for an army hospital for tubercular patients. The place had previously been rejected as unfit for hospital purposes, but the alleged "pull" was exerted, according to the charges, in order that Morse might reap the benefits of the sale.

### SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Mrs. Joe Parker has postponed the meeting of the Friday Bridge club until Saturday afternoon on account of the football game.

The Home Science club has been indefinitely postponed on account of the football game.

The Rebekah lodge meets tonight at Odd Fellow Hall.

The local Eastern Star chapter will meet Monday night at the Masonic hall in regular session.

Miss Esther Swartwood was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Thursday Bridge club.

Mrs. L. E. McCurdy was hostess to the W. C. T. U. at a social meeting yesterday afternoon.

MRS. MCNEIRE HOSTESS TO AVALONS TUESDAY

Mrs. R. S. McConkie entertained the members of the Avalon Bridge club and other guests Tuesday afternoon, at her home on Texas street.

MELLON MAY ACT FOR U. S. ON REPARATIONS BOARD



Andrew W. Mellon

President Coolidge is said to be seriously considering appointing Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon as the American representative on the Allied Board that is to determine Germany's ability to pay reparations, providing French restrictions do not make American participation impossible. Secretary Mellon, a Pittsburgh millionaire, is one of the leading financial experts of the world.

### For Rent

FOR RENT—One five room house on north Bowie street. Call 330 or 348. 85-4c

FOR RENT—Bed rooms, close in. \$3.50 per week. Phone 478-W. 2104 Paradise street. Mrs. H. W. Norwood. 87-3c

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 904 Pease street. Mrs. J. D. Key. 86-3c

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms suitable for housekeeping or bed rooms. Also take table boarders. Two blocks from square. Phone 271. 87-3c

FOR RENT—Two, three or four room apartments with bath. Excellent location. Permanent people desired. Phone 436. 87-3c

FOR RENT—Five room house with bath newly papered, two blocks from town. Phone 436. 87-3c

### Lost, Found or Strayed.

LOST—Two ferns from my front porch Halloween night. Please return to owner. Mrs. Eunice Wilson. Telephone 311, West Texas Street. 87-3c

LOST—Ladies' purse containing transfer of car from Jim Crawford to Roy B. Thompson, keys and some money. Finder please bring to Record office for reward. 88-2c

### Wanted.

WANTED—Boarders and roomers. 2nd residence west of City Hall. Phone 684-W. 85-4c

DEALERS WANTED—Man or woman desiring larger income to sell Watkins Products in Vernon. A few good openings in other nearby cities. Watkins Products are well known, easy to sell, needed in every home, and with a record of over fifty years highest quality behind them. Live wires make good money. Many aids and samples given you. Investigate at once. Write today. J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 91, Memphis, Tenn. 86-4c

WANTED—Boarders, single men. 50c. Board per week \$7.50. Second residence west of City Hall. Mrs. A. T. Ferguson. Phone 684-W. 87-4c

WANTED—To buy 50 Plymouth Rock hons. H. F. Crossland, 2325 Main street. 86-3c

street. A delicious two course luncheon was served to the following club members and guests: Messrs. Roy Abbott, Foster L. Edmond, C. V. King, L. M. Lovelace, M. J. Moore, Homer Rogers, J. G. Sherman, S. A. White, R. D. King, Miss Lily Castlesbury, Minnie King and Mesdames Harner Reed, H. Y. Pitts, Howard Lisman, C. D. Greene and A. B. Garland.

If you want a quick loan on your car, see W. W. Bennett. 83-6c

Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel. Puckett Bros. 87-2c

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Record classified ads bring results.

### For Sale—Real Estate.

Four room house on south Eagle St. for sale or will trade for close in place or most anything as part payment. Paul Probasco at City Market. 87-3c

FOR SALE—East front lot on Main street between Olive and Madison. Revenue property. Now rented. Might trade for first lien note. E. E. Pardee. 1212 Southwestern Life Bldg., Dallas, Texas. 86-4c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two room house and lot in West Vernon. Would take in team. Apply to H. Hinebrandt, Rt. A, Box 62. 88-6c

FOR SALE—A bargain. 160 acres improved land 2 1/2 miles southwest of Rayland, Charley Matyske. 88-6c

FOR SALE—Practically new home, modern in every respect. Unusually well finished inside. Extra well located. Good garage, east front. Well heated. This is less than replacement value for building. Davis, Webb & Summerour. 88-2c

### Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—My entire stock of S. C. White Lehighs for sale cheap. See me. A. E. Hays, Route A, Vernon, Texas. 88-8c

TRADE—Ivies Electric Shoe Shop I will trade my business in Vernon for land in Roosevelt County, N. M. W. Q. Ivie. 83-4c

FOR SALE—Good six room house with three acres land. North of Fair Park. See J. H. Pettit or phone 105. 87-3c

A BARGAIN—A good two-room house for sale without lot. See Dexey Marsh at Bank of Odell. 72c

FOR SALE—Two practically new heating stoves, one New Perfect Cook stove, dining table, bedstead and springs, City Fish and Oyster Market, East side square. Phone 682. 87-3c

FOR SALE—Nelson piano or will trade for a good Ford touring car. See me at Robinson Dry Goods Company. C. M. McKown. 87-3c

FOR SALE—Small meat market with complete equipment. Will sell at a real bargain. See me at Robinson Dry Goods Company. E. Collier. 87-4c

FOR TRADE—Beautiful modern home in Odell, N. M., to trade for something in Vernon. What have you. Bill Todd. 45-4c

Record classified ads bring results.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER: By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1923, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Wm. Cameron and Co. Inc., No. 1801 vs. E. L. Smith, Administrator and Frank E. McCollum vs. E. L. Smith, Administrators No. 1903, and to me directed as Sheriff and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in December, A. D. 1923, being the 11th day of said month, before the courthouse in said Wilbarger County, in the town of Vernon, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

All of Section No. 21 and all of Fractional Section No. 29, both in Block No. 14 of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company's Survey in Wilbarger County, Texas.

Said judgment in case No. 1801 having been assigned and transferred by writ of assignment by Frank E. McCollum to Wm. Cameron & Co. Inc., No. 1903, and said property levied upon as the property of E. L. Smith, Administrator of the estate of E. L. Smith, deceased, to satisfy the above judgment for the sum of \$1,217.45 and costs of suit, given under my hand this 28th day of November, 1923.

W. FRANK EDMONSON, Sheriff, Wilbarger County, Texas. 88-3c

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 24th day of November, 1923, in a certain cause wherein M. W. Litzman is plaintiff, and C. L. Stephenson, W. C. Stephenson and J. G. Brink are defendants, a writ of execution was issued, and a judgment was rendered on the 19th day of January, 1923, in favor of the said plaintiff, for the sum of \$600.000.00, hearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half per centum (5 1/2%) per annum and maturing serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, rate of interest and maturities to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Wilbarger County, Texas; and

It is further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Wilbarger County, Texas; and

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the Court that an election be held in said Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 24th day of November, 1923, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of \$600,000.00, hearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half per centum (5 1/2%) per annum and maturing serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, rate of interest and maturities to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Wilbarger County, Texas; and for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Article 627

### Catarrhal Deafness

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced your hearing may be destroyed for ever. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists. F. E. CENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. 75-4c

### Notice to Contractors.

Notice to Contractors for State Road and Bridge Construction: Sealed proposals addressed to Hon. O. T. Warlick, County Judge, Wilbarger County, for the improvement of certain highways in Wilbarger County, will be received at the office of the County Auditor at Vernon, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. November 27, 1923, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of work to be done: The proposed work consists of the construction of 3.92 miles of eight foot one-course reinforced concrete pavement. The estimated quantities are 116,860 pounds reinforcing steel bars and 38,255.2 square yards concrete pavement.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of Jno. B. Nares, County Engineer, at Vernon, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for five per cent of amount of bid made, payable without recourse to the order of O. T. Warlick, County Judge, of Wilbarger County, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked, "Bids for the Construction of the Surfacing F. A. P. 276-A Road in Wilbarger County, Texas."

All bids received will be retained by the Department and will not be returned to the bidders.

### NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER: To the Resident Property Taxpayers of Wilbarger County, Texas:

Take notice that an election will be held on the 24th day of November, 1923, within Wilbarger County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court on the 22nd day of October, 1923.

On this the 22nd day of October, 1923, the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, convened in Special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Court-house at Vernon, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, A. M. BOURLAND, Com. Prec. No. 1, A. M. McALEER, Com. Prec. No. 2, J. S. ARCHER, Com. Prec. No. 3, R. COBB, Com. Prec. No. 4,

being present, came on to be considered the petition of W. K. Long and 403 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Wilbarger County, Texas, in the sum of \$600,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half (5 1/2) per centum per annum and maturing serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, rate of interest and maturities to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Wilbarger County, Texas; and

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The said election shall be held under the provisions of Article 627

of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, Wilbarger County, Texas. Filed October 22nd, 1923.

J. W. BLOCK, Jr., County Clerk, Wilbarger County, Texas. 83-4c

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### Indigestion

FORCE Tonic is a refreshing appetizer and ready aid to digestion, because of its tendency to strengthen and increase the functional activity of the stomach.

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and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

Thedford's Black-Draught (purely vegetable) has been found to relieve constipation, and by stimulating the action of the liver, when it is torpid, helps to drive many poisons out of your system. Biliousness, indigestion, headache, and similar troubles are often relieved in this way. It is the natural way. Be natural! Try Black-Draught.

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to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident property taxpayers in this County, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At West Side Court House, with E. P. Robertson as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 1;

At East Side Court House with T. L. Rouse as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 2;

At Oklaunion, with J. F. Stark, as presiding officers, Election Precinct No. 3;

At Harrold, with R. P. Burgess, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 4;

At Mack Schoolhouse, with E. M. Schaub, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 6;

At Lockett Schoolhouse, with S. C. Davenport as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 7;

At Kincheol Schoolhouse with C. Schoppa as presiding officer, Highland Election Precinct No. 8;

At Tolbert, Schoolhouse, with Will Cummins as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 9;

At Odell, with J. M. Collins as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 10;

At Doans with P. M. Ennett as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 11;

At Hinds Schoolhouse with W. J. May as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 12;

At Hanes Schoolhouse with Claude Price as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 13;

At Guyer Schoolhouse with E. B. Gillis as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 14;

At Fargo with Tom Mason, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 15;

At Elliott, with R. G. Goss, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 16;

At Farmers Valley Schoolhouse, with C. H. Randle as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 17;

At Antelope with B. P. Abston as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 5;

At Wildcat Schoolhouse with J. L. Burk as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 18;

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Vernon Record, a newspaper published in the County, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted, as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court.

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, A. M. BOURLAND, Com. Prec. No. 1, A. M. McALEER, Com. Prec. No. 2, J. S. ARCHER, Com. Prec. No. 3, R. COBB, Com. Prec. No. 4,

Given under my hand, with the seal of the Commissioners' Court affixed, this 22nd day of October, 1923.

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, Wilbarger County, Texas. Filed October 22nd, 1923.

J. W. BLOCK, Jr., County Clerk, Wilbarger County, Texas. 83-4c

Thedford's Black-Draught

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Kincer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent. I heard of

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and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

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## PLANS TO BE MADE FOR SALE

CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN TO BE CONDUCTED IN VERNON

Within a few days the chairman of the Christmas Seal Sale committee will be announced from the Chamber of Commerce. The sale of seals in Vernon is expected to come up to past years, at least, as this city has always been its part.

The following bulletin on Christmas Seals has been sent out by the State Board of Health:

"The plans and organization work for the Sixteenth Annual Tuberculosis Seal Sale are fast nearing completion in Texas. Local chairmen have been appointed and are all very optimistic over the prospects of a large sale this year.

"Many of the local chairmen have conducted the Seal Sale in their communities for a number of years. The Tuberculosis Seal has continued to grow in popularity until now the majority of those using seals specify Tuberculosis Seals.

Last year's Christmas Seal money brought the following results:

One hundred fifty-eight thousand, eight hundred and fifty-four persons were reached through the informational campaign.

Nearly 300,000 pieces of literature were distributed.

Thousands of children were taught health habits through the Modern Health Crusade.

Nearly 3,000 school children were given complete physical examinations.

Over 800 health lectures and school talks were given.

Maintained a health motion picture car which is carrying a message of health to all parts of the state, particularly small towns and rural districts.

Assisted organizations and groups interested in preventing tuberculosis.

Employed full time Mexican and Negro workers.

Co-operated with State Board of Health and American Red Cross in disease prevention.

An increased seal sale is needed this year for the following reasons:

1. More nurses are needed to instruct tuberculosis patients, assist in clinics and do demonstration nursing.

2. Pupils in hundreds of Texas schools, never yet visited by a nurse, should be examined.

3. A traveling tuberculosis clinic in charge of a physician, expert in tuberculosis, is needed.

4. More campaigns are needed or county tuberculosis sanatoria.

5. Additional lecturers and field workers are needed to meet immovable requests for service in spreading a knowledge of tuberculosis.

6. The program of 1922 should be expanded.

95 per cent of the money raised in Texas by the sale of seals is used in Texas to prevent disease.

The other 5 per cent goes to the National Tuberculosis Association, who in turn gives this Association such splendid cooperation and service that we really get a good share of the 5 per cent back.

Paige and Maxwell parts. I can furnish you with any replacement part you need for your Paige or Maxwell car. My prices are far below wholesale. Harold Bonner. 7-2tc

## CAILLAUX RE-ENTERS POLITICS IN DRAMATIC FASHION



M. Joseph Caillaux

Former Premier Joseph Caillaux, exiled from Paris and other sections of France for his alleged trafficking with the enemy in the World War, has re-entered French politics in dramatic fashion. Addressing 400 of his followers at a banquet in Deaulx, one of the few towns he can enter, he planned a definite program for the Left Wing of the Chamber of Deputies, when the latter shall choose Premier Poincare at the coming elections. France, he said, was entitled to reparations and security from Germany, but that under the Poincare plan she should get neither.

## City Clubs Select Representatives To State Meeting

Mrs. W. N. Stokes and Mrs. C. J. Farrell will represent the musician's club of Vernon at Wichita Falls next week at the State Federation meeting. They were appointed by the executive committee of the State Federated Music clubs.

Mrs. Stokes is president of the local club and Mrs. Farrell is past president and first vice president.

Mrs. Ben Leutwyler is delegate from the Home Economics club and Miss Robbie Castleberry is alternate.

Mrs. J. N. Johnson, president of the Home Science club will go as the representative and Mrs. B. A. Williams and Mrs. G. R. Heath have been elected alternates.

Mrs. Y. H. Babushin, president of the Delphin club will go as delegate with Mrs. E. L. Keltz as alternate.

The Woman's club is represented by Mrs. C. V. King, as delegate, and Mrs. R. E. Townsend as alternate.

Mrs. J. E. Collins, president of the club, will also attend.

Mrs. J. A. Birdsong will represent the County Federation at the state meeting. Many other club women will attend from here.

Wanted, second hand furniture, stoves, etc. Vaughn Mercantile Co. Phone 558, West Maiden St. 85-1tc

Sell us that old furniture. We want it. Vaughn Mercantile Co. Phone 558, West Maiden. 85-4tc

## VERNON JOINS IN OBSERVANCE

BUY IT MADE IN TEXAS IS SLOGAN FOR INDUSTRIAL WEEK

Vernon in common with all Texas will observe "Buy It Made in Texas" week, November 12 to 17 inclusive. During that week special attention is expected to be paid by home buyers to home products. The following bulletin from the R. I. M. I. Week has been issued:

"Every dollar spent for goods made in Texas is a dollar more that is sent away for the state and building up of other states and their industries. If we fail to buy home goods, we are failing to help the manufacturer who is very anxious for the development of his industry in the city in which he is located. It is indeed a poor citizen who makes his living within the state of Texas yet in every opportunity seems to take advantage of his Texas money. The state for the comfortable and necessities of life. Stand back of your merchant, manufacturers, contractors, architects, and professional men of Texas, learn to live at home, for in no other way will a community prosper. Texas Industrial Week 'Buy It Made in Texas' opens on Monday, November 12th. The slogan for the week is: 'Buy something made in Texas today.' If we spend our money for Texas Made Products, and insist when making contracts that Texas Made Materials be used where ever possible, we will then get a second chance at the same old dollar, when that dollar goes out of the state its 'Good-bye Mary'."

## WILDCAT NEWS.

Mrs. Douglas Fox and children have returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glover, at Odell.

Bob Raper, Fred Raper, and sisters, came in home last week for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raper.

Mr. Key, and son, Jodie, went to Vernon Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nunn and Miss Mary Delaney went to Vernon last Tuesday.

Will Key has been working the road some this week, fixing some and holes so people can pass.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Vernon, visited Sunday school at Wildcat Sunday and took dinner with Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand.

Burford Luttrell surprised his many friends by getting married last Saturday night to Miss Vesta Seay of Vernon.

Fred Miller spent Saturday night in Vernon with Earl Madden.

John Glover of Fargo, visited his

## STORE BUILDING FOR RENT

Building now occupied by The Vernon Record will be vacated between October 15 and November 1. For short term lease until January 1, 1924, see R. H. Nichols; for long term lease see J. D. Summerour.

## TROOPS END COMMUNIST RIOTS IN HAMBURG.



End Communist riots

During the recent fighting in Hamburg, Germany's greatest seaport, on the River Elbe, communists for two days terrorized the city. German troops, rushed to aid the police, put down the rioting, with considerable bloodshed. A number of the communists, with hands behind their heads in token of surrender, are being marched to jail.

elder, Mrs. Douglas Fox, last Monday.

Chester Robinson of Vernon spent Thursday night with Benton Luttrell.

Mrs. Nunn's little daughter, Oleta, is real sick with typhoid fever at this writing.

I. G. Luttrell went to Elliott to set up with one of his nephews, Ira Luttrell's baby Sunday night. This child was very low.

Mrs. I. G. Luttrell and Benton, visited Mrs. Seay of Vernon, Monday evening and brought Mr. and Mrs. Buford Luttrell out home with them.

Miss Annie Nunn spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Richards went to the show in Vernon Saturday night.

Fred Miller spent Sunday night with Benton Luttrell.

The annual conference sent our preacher, Rev. Frank Johnson, back to us. He did great work for this community last year, and we feel he can do more this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Luttrell of Hill Crest took supper with Mrs. I. G. Luttrell and family Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Key went to Vernon Sunday to spend the day.

Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel. Puckett Bros. 87-2tc

## PLEASANT VALLEY NEWS.

E. C. Bratcher was a business visitor in the White City community Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Andrews and Miss Lily Rogers visited Mrs. Emma Yarbrough Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bell Sunday.

J. F. Watson spent the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. Selma Bell and Mrs. Arthur Bell visited in Odell Monday.

Harvey Adams was in Odell Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bratcher and daughters attended the singing at Mrs. Nora Cook's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell arrived Sunday from Colorado for an extended visit with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bell formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim White spent Sunday with friends in Odell.

Mrs. H. N. McDougal and daughter of the Red River community, spent Sunday afternoon in the E. C. Bratcher home.

The Pleasant Valley school was put off until the first of December.

Mrs. E. C. Bratcher and daughters spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Bell.

Charlie Thomas was in Odell Tuesday afternoon.

Farmers are behind with their

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will use less coal and throw off more heat than any other stove at the price. There is no coal wasted. The Super-Hot Blast feature saves you coal.

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Better get a store like this to back the quality; or a name like Hart Schaffner & Marx. If you aren't satisfied you get your money back.

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## Dixon Dry Goods Co.

"Past, Present and Future Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Fine Clothes"







## VERNON THEATRE SPECIAL PICTURE

GLORIA SWANSON IN "BEYOND THE ROCKS" TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Tuesday and Wednesday—"Beyond the Rocks," a Paramount picture with Gloria Swanson in the stellar role, will be shown. The picture is based on Elmer Glyn's famous novel of the same name which was a big hit several years ago. Rodolph Valentino, who supported her in "Morna of the Lady," is her leading man and he leads an unusually strong supporting cast.

But Gloria Swanson, Paramount star, can't swim a stroke!

That didn't deter her, however, when it became necessary for scenes in "Beyond the Rocks," from plunging into the ocean near Catalina Island, out of her own boat and then keeping up to the best of her ability until rescued by Rodolph Valentino, who plays the leading man's role.

"I never knew it was so hard to fall out of a boat into the water until I tried to do it. In a natural way," observed the star, after the perilous scenes had been secured. "One of my ears accidentally slipped out of the ear-lock, however, and that gave me the idea. By pulling hard on one ear and then letting it slip out, and throwing myself to one side, I would seem naturally to fall right over the side of the tipping boat. Into the water. When I got my breath, I screamed for the rescue signal, and soon Mr. Valentino had reached me. At first I ducked him in my struggles, but finally I got my senses together and calmed down a little. Then they pulled us into a boat."

Although Miss Swanson was formerly heralded as a Mack Sennett bathing girl, she has never learned to swim.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.  
Money to loan on cars. W. W. Bennett.

MUSTAPHA KAMEL ELECTED  
TURKISH PRESIDENT



Mustapha Kemal Pasha  
President of Turkey

Turkey having been declared a republic, with Ankara as its capital, Mustapha Kemal Pasha, who commanded the Turkish armies which successfully defended the Dardanelles in the World War and who drove the Greeks into the sea at Salonica, has been elected its President for a term of four years. He at once selected Ismet Pasha, his right hand man, both in the army and in political life, as his Premier.

### BROWN NEWS.

The farmers have been very busy the past week, as they have been delayed so much by the recent rains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Likely of Electra spent Sunday night and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

R. T. Lokens of Oklahoma spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hammons and W. C. Winslett visited Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tiller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. James visited Mr. and Mrs. John Likely Sunday.

Misses Roxie and Ina Hammons and E. E. Likely spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Thompson.

Orvel Wheeler visited at Oklahoma Sunday afternoon.

M. E. Strange visited E. T. Likely Sunday afternoon.

Sunday will be Pev. J. W. Oiler's day to preach.

There will be a box supper at Brown school house Saturday night, November 10. Everybody is invited to come.

There will be singing at Brown Sunday afternoon.

## BARGAINS IN USED CARS

We want to show you the following—

Ford Roadster  
AT  
\$50.00

Ford Touring  
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\$70.00

Buick Four  
AT  
\$60.00

Maxwell Touring  
AT  
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Overland Touring  
AT  
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## MERRY GO ROUND OPENS MONDAY

DAYTIME WIVES PLAYING  
LAST RUN AT PICTORIUM  
TODAY

"Daytime Wives," with Wyndham Standing, Grace Darmond, Derelys Perdue, William Conklin, Edward Hearn and Kathryn Lewis besides numerous other moving picture stars, is beginning its last engagement at the Pictorium today with a Mack Sennett comedy featuring Slim Summerville in "Her Fame and Shame." This picture is one of the season's best and is having big runs in the larger cities where the plot and the actors as well as the costumes, are receiving the most favorable of comment. It is an unusually strong picture.

One of the picture sensations of the year is "The Merry Go Round," the Universal Super-Jewel production which opens at the Pictorium Monday for a two day run, featuring Mary Philbin, Norman Kerry, Dorothy Wallace, George Hackthorne, Anton Veverka, George Siegman and some of the best supporting characters on the screen.

Mary Philbin has leaped into fame in this picture and all over the nation she is being heralded as one of the rising stars of filmdom. The story in the film is one of dramatic love involving a poor girl of Vienna, Austria, and a Count who courts the girl while pretending to be a necktie salesman. It is a play that cost thousands of dollars to picture and has some of the prettiest settings of any picture made this year. It also strikes deep into the seat of post-war education wherein the poorer classes of the old world have learned that caste can not bind them if they have intelligence and seek knowledge.

### LOCKETT NEWS.

Mrs. Sarah Pigg returned home Thursday after a two week's visit with relatives in Farmers' Valley and Vernon.

Miss Naomi Lincecum spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lincecum. Miss Naomi attends Chillicothe high school.

Mrs. Ed Standlock has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Davenport attended the funeral of Mrs. Davenport's cousin in Vernon Monday.

Farmers in this community have started back to picking cotton and the Lockett gin is running night and day since the rains have stopped.

The Better Home Improvement club met last Monday afternoon with Mrs. Newell Frost. The afternoon was spent in making soap.

The following members were present: Mesdames D. W. Sylvester, M. H. Lewis, S. L. Davenport, H. W. Starnes, R. Hoffman, Jr., W. L. Martin, O. M. Pigg and Misses Edna Goodfellow, Josie Mae Davenport.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

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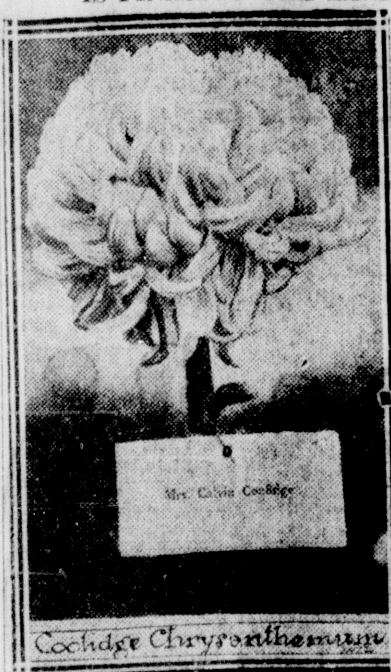
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COOLIDGE CHRYSANTHEMUM  
IS FINEST IN THE LAND



Coolidge Chrysanthemum

When Mrs. Calvin Coolidge visited the Agricultural Department's Annual Chrysanthemum Show in Washington, as the guest of Secretary and Mrs. Wallace, she was honored and surprised by the announcement that the prize chrysanthemum of the exhibition had been named the "Grace Coolidge Chrysanthemum." This is the rare beauty that will bear the name of the First Lady of the Land.

There will be a call meeting Nov. 15 in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Starnes for the purpose of making dress forms.

Carl Hix, 23, died in this community last Sunday night of typhoid fever.

Frank Charles of Kaufman is here visiting his niece, Mrs. Orr Cato.

Rev. Edgar Pippin will fill the pulpit at Lockett Saturday at 11 o'clock and Sunday morning and night.

Rev. C. F. Booth of this community preached at Rayland last Sunday.

Pierce Phillips of Vernon visited friends at Lockett last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoffman, Jr., went to Vernon shopping last Saturday.

The box supper that was announced for the Lockett school last Friday night was called off on account of the rainy weather.

Miss Edna Goodfellow met with the club girls last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lockett were shopping in Vernon last Monday.

The roads in this community that were impassible during the rainy weather are getting dry and being dragged now.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

### RAYLAND NEWS.

Leaetta, Irene and Bill Jordan, Beatrice Booth, of Lockett, Edna and Milt Dale, Fred Duffie, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts, Mrs. Keel and Mrs. Edd Gunn visited in the B. E. Roberts home Sunday.

The musical at the home of Harry Cobb Saturday night was well attended. Every one reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Armstrong of Deans spent the last week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Armstrong, and Mrs. Laura Allen and daughter, Ruby, spent Sunday with Joe Jordan and family.

Misses Lola Watson and Leota Jarvis of Parsley Hill and Clifford and George Cribbs visited Misses Leaetta and Irene Jordan Sunday night.

Miss Beatrice Booth of Lockett was a guest of Miss Edna Dale Saturday.

Vernon visitors from here Saturday were: Lee Jordan and daughters, Leaetta and Irene, Jim Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins, Annie Jobe, Clifford Cribbs, Raymond Meares and Tony Allen.

The Antelope school opened Monday, Nov. 5, with 76 enrolled.

Edd Gunn was a Vernon visitor Monday.

The musical at the home of Fish Cobb Monday night was well attended. Everyone enjoyed the music.

Fred Duffie and Fish Poole were

The Screen's  
GREATEST  
LOVERS

in a flaming romance by  
The World's

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GLORIA  
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TUESDAY AND  
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We will be closed Monday, Nov. 12—Armistice Day.



THE FARMERS STATE BANK  
VERNON, TEXAS

Vernon visitors Monday.  
Miss Veva Lee Roberts entertained Tuesday night with a musical.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jordan and daughter, Irene, were Vernon visitors Wednesday.

W. A. Walker of Vernon was in this community Tuesday.

### ELLIOTT NEWS.

Miss Mamie Raines and Miss Beatrice Hayes spent Sunday night with Mrs. Clyde Asmworth.

Alpha Lemon visited his father and family Sunday.

Little Dewey Mae Dockery is reported to still be very sick.

Bob Lemon and sister, Mrs. E. R. Lee, visited their sister, Miss Essie Lemon, in a sanitarium at Vernon Sunday.

The death angel visited the home of Ira Luttrell and wife early Monday morning and took one of their

twins, one-year-old. The other one is very sick. The entire community extends sympathy to the family.

Osmond Stephens and Miss Ardie Patterson surprised their many friends by getting married in Vernon last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Do have been in Vernon the past at the bedside of little Dewey who was visiting her grandfather when taken sick.

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MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS

P. S.—NEW CAPS JUST ARRIVED.



Andy & Min "Gumps" in "WATCH PAPA"



## COTTON GINS WORK OVERTIME

NIGHT AND DAY SHIFTS HAND-  
LING CROP SELLING  
AT \$31.50

With every farmer in Wilbarger county working overtime to get his cotton out and the gins running night and day in most communities, ginning reports for this week showed a big increase over last week. With cotton coming in at a fast rate, the price has also continued to climb and middling cotton sold on the streets of Vernon yesterday at \$31.50 per pound with a steady market.

The ginning report for the week shows the following number of bales ginned to date this year:

City gins:	
Planters .....	895
F. and M. ....	214
Farmer .....	816
Peoples .....	779
Vernon .....	778

Total .....

Rural gins:	
Oklahoma .....	871
White City .....	134
Odell .....	1236
Harrold .....	375
Ellett .....	524
Lockett .....	1333
Tolbert .....	65
Fargo .....	520

Total .....

Ginned outside of county, gin- ners' estimate .....	859
Total for this year .....	9387
This time last year .....	23129

### Correspondence

#### Course Has Big 1923 Enrollment

Dallas, Nov. 8.—School superintendents, school principals, school teachers and persons who merely hope to be school teachers, principals, and superintendents some day, make up a sizable percentage of students enrolled in the correspondence school of Southern Methodist University this year. Twenty-five years ago correspondence school education was the subject of ridicule, much of which came from teachers who taught in the old-fashioned schoolroom in the old-fashioned way. Now teachers and prospective teachers are learning by correspondence how to teach in the old-fashioned way. Against a total enrollment of 72 in the correspondence school division last year, there are 212 enrolled this year and thirty per cent of those enrolled are teachers or prospective teachers. Prof. H. K. Taylor, director of the extension department, said:

Few students in the correspondence division are interested in mathematics, which brings up the bottom of the list in point of popularity with seven per cent of the whole. Courses in the order of their popularity as shown by enrollment are: Education and Psychology, English, Spanish, History and Mathematics.

Students in the correspondence school division are classified by Mr. Taylor as follows: Graduates of affiliated schools who have the required college entrance units, yet for some reason are unable to attend college in person; teachers who desire to raise their certificates by preparing for state examination, and others who wish to add to their efficiency in the branches which they teach; college students who for financial or other reasons have dropped out of college but desire to continue their studies.

#### CATTLE COST INVESTIGATION CONTINUES IN THIS SECTION

Ranchmen are watching with interest the progress being made by the State and Federal governments in the investigation of cost in producing range cattle in Texas. While this investigation has barely been organized the second report on the preliminary work has been issued by Dr. B. Youngblood and is to the effect that two experts already are in the field after having arranged with various ranchmen to conduct the investigations on their ranches.

The object of the investigation is to determine the actual cost of producing beef cattle on the range and compare the same with producing the same weight through feeding as well as to determine, if possible, quicker and cheaper methods for the ranchmen in producing beef cattle.

#### MISS PIERCE HEADS S. M. U. MUSIC CLUB

Miss Catherine Pierce of Vernon has been elected president of the Musical club of the Southern Methodist University. Miss Pierce is a talented musician and is a senior in both the music and literary departments.

#### Presbyterian Church.

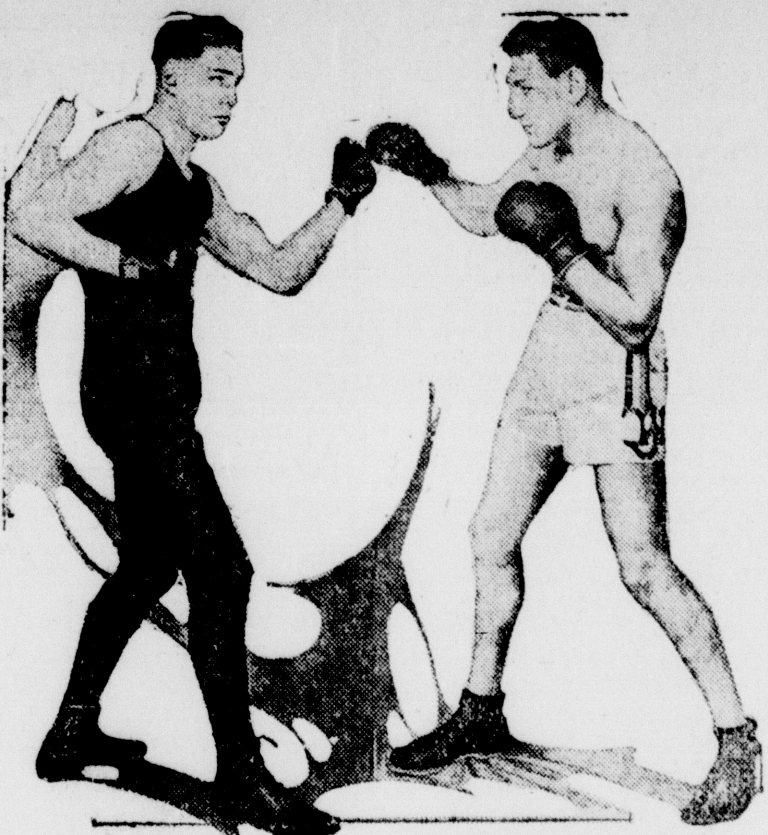
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject:  
"Looking at the Difficulty vs. Looking at God."

These services will be held in the Vernon Theater and we have every assurance that the house will be warm if the day is unpleasant. Be sure to come.

No evening service as we will take part in the union services at Methodist church in honor of the American Legion.

E. L. MOORE.

### WILL FIGHT FOR MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP



Harry Greb and Johnny Wilson

#### Marvin Culbertson Gets 15,000,000 Marks in Postage

Ten years ago anybody with 15,000,000 German Marks would have been a millionaire in real honest to United States money. In other words that many marks would have been almost \$2,000,000 real human dollars with the old bad eagle spreading his wings on one side. But, piffle! Any kid with the price of a two-cent Uncle Sam stamp is now a millionaire in Germany, or it might be said a millionmarker.

Marvin C. Culbertson got a letter from Berlin this week and it took almost \$2,000,000 to bring it—that is almost two million at the former price of the German Mark before Kaiser Bill took too many liberties with the world. In fact it took just 15,000,000 Marks to bring the letter from Berlin to Vernon.

#### METHODISTS TO SUPPORT UNIVERSITY LIBERALLY

Dallas, Nov. 8.—The five conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will contribute \$125,000 to the support of Southern Methodist University here this year. Of this amount \$75,000 will come from the North Texas Conference. The money, already pledged, will be collected between Nov. 25 and Dec. 6 when a "pay-up campaign" will be put on in the several districts of each conference.

**Card of Thanks.**  
To the many friends who were so kind and sympathetic during the sickness and death of our darling son, may God bless you all.

MIC. AND MRS. C. H. McFORD,  
Seymour, Texas.

Mrs. Frazier Bell returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Iowa Park and Wichita Falls.

## Armistice Day

Five years after the World's greatest catastrophe, America pays homage to the 70,000 men who fell upon the fields of honor.

Since that eventful day of 1918, the nations of the earth have taken a decided step toward universal peace and prosperity.

This bank will be closed Monday, November 12th.

### Herring National Bank

C. T. HERRING, President  
L. K. JOHNSON, Vice President  
G. C. MORRIS, Cashier

### OPPORTUNITY FOR EDUCATION

FUND AT UNIVERSITY OF  
TEXAS TO LOAN MONEY  
TO STUDENTS

Austin, Texas, Nov. 8.—"No capable student need resign from the University of Texas because of a lack of money, if he is willing to borrow from the Students' Memorial Loan Fund," says Alfred Ellison, Austin, treasurer of the 15-Stud-  
ents' Association, who has just submitted a report of the fund to the trustees.

"The Students' Memorial Fund has now been in operation for four years, beginning with the session of 1919-1920, and during that time a total of \$45,423.25 has been loaned to 276 individual students. A total of \$11,651.27 has been repaid by borrowers. Reimbursements for the last year have totaled \$6,750.43, an increase of approximately \$2,000 over the previous year. During the last year, loans amounting to \$9,887.25 have been made to 65 students. For the previous year, loans amounted to \$9,166.28. The rate of interest charged is six per cent.

"Many of these students have won the highest scholastic distinction possible in the University," asserts Mr. Ellison, "and with our students' helped have made excellent records. In each case it has been the aim of the trustees to restrict loans to those whose need of financial assistance was imperative, and at least half of the loans are granted to relieve emergencies that arise during the year, where, unless financial aid was offered, the students would be forced to leave college."

Mrs. R. M. Fielder returned Sunday from Gastine where she went to attend the funeral of her father.

Spencer E. Moore, primitive Baptist minister, of Maude, held services Wednesday and Thursday nights at the West Vernon school house.

#### Ship Cattle Saturday.

W. T. Gibbons of the Round Timber ranch shipped eight cars of cattle to Kansas City, Saturday. The shipment consisted of calves, steers and canners.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

H. H. Anderson of Electra was here on business Tuesday.

Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel, Puckett Bros. \$7.20c

T. A. Hamilton of Odell is here on business.

Mrs. Eugene Berry and little daughter, Margaret Louise, of Wichita Falls, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hatt.

Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel, Puckett Bros. \$7.20c

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

Joe Adams, who left here recently to make his home at West, McLennan County, writes that he arrived and that the weather is delightful there.

Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

### WHITE CITY NEWS.

White City school opened Monday morning, Nov. 5, with Miss Leola Smith, principal, Miss Idelle Davis, intermediate, and Mrs. Emma Lou Kutz, primary.

The trustees have put the building in first class condition, bought new shades for all the windows, added heavy screen to all the windows, etc. The attendance is not so good, but better than was expected on account of the late cotton.

The weather cleared up last Sunday and cotton picking is in full blast and will be till Christmas. We have been delayed a month by rain, and the cotton has been damaged a great deal.

C. L. Adams and family spent Monday night and Sunday in the Pleasant Valley community, the guests of their brother, J. H. Adams and family.

J. R. and L. E. White and J. M. Knapp went to Vernon Saturday, also W. B. Covert, Lou Phares, Mrs. Jina Kays and Misses Ornelia and Jewel Kays and W. L. Johnson and family.

Rev. W. W. Adams and L. A. Anderson were in Vernon Monday. Reginald Hobson of Fort Worth came home last Saturday and will be here until after Thanksgiving.

J. R. White, W. B. Covert, M. A. Mayfield, W. B. Germany, G. A. Bell, Mr. Blackburn and J. M. Knapp and wife were Vernon visitors Monday.

Leas Armstrong and family of Deas spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams.

Mrs. O. D. Stowe and little Mary Joe spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, W. W. Adams and wife.

Joe Kickpatrick is on the sick

list this week.

Mrs. J. P. Starr and Miss Alice visited Mrs. W. B. Germany Tuesday evening.

Hoyt Brinkley and wife of Tolbert, spent Sunday night with H. E. Box and family.

M. M. Denson and wife took dinner with his mother, Mrs. J. T. J. Denson Sunday.

There was singing at L. E. White's Sunday night.

Don Shanger of Vernon was out on his farm Tuesday.

Reginald H. Hobson was in Vernon Sunday.

Jig and Gladys Floyd visited their cousins, the Boyds, of Hawk Hill, Saturday and Sunday.

L. A. Foster returned today from a business trip to Moran.

Miss Bess Duke of Memphis is visiting Miss Florence Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marx of Fargo were here on business yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hamilton of Sherwood were in Vernon, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Muenchmeyer of Thermopolis, Wyoming, are guests of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lloyd, Mrs. Muenchmeyer was the first state president of the Auxiliary to the American Legion in Wyoming. They are visiting relatives here and in Oklahoma and will leave soon for California where they will make their home.

Mrs. S. R. McKinnon and children of Chillicothe were here yesterday.

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E. L. McCarter returned Thursday from Brownwood.

Thomas Evans is seriously ill at his home in Southwest Vernon.

Mrs. R. C. Hogsett has returned from a visit with relatives in Altus, Okla.

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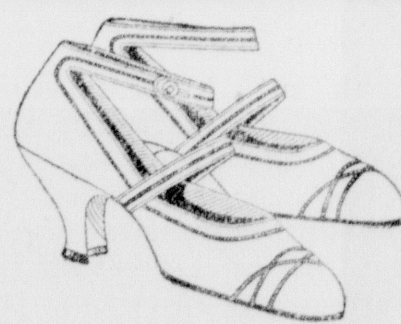
over the wonderful response accorded our sale, therefore we publish this note of

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to those friends who so notably honored us during the past few days. While it is true we are offering the most remarkable values of any store in Vernon, and while we expected this sale to start with a rush, we must confess we never expected such crowds as have thronged our store since the opening.

For all these things we publish this word of hearty thanks and true appreciation, with a firm resolve to continue to give our friends the very best values in CLOTHING, SHOES, and FURNISHINGS. You can save money in this sale.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC  
Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of The Record, will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.**OUR ROAD TAX SITUATION.**

The purpose of the constitutional amendment giving the control of the state highways to the State and relieving the counties of any obligation to build and maintain them, which was declared invalid before the election by the Attorney General because of failure of the Secretary of State to advertise it for the required time, was to take the burden of building and maintaining our highways from property and place it on the motor car, where it properly belongs.

If such an amendment is adopted the property owner is the one who will benefit most by it. Instead of levying taxes on real and personal property for supporting bond issues for highway improvement, the expense will be taken care of through gasoline and automobile taxes.

This plan will bring into operation a principle that should underlie every economic move, namely, that those who make use of an improvement or those who use most largely its service should bear the bulk of the cost of maintaining such an enterprise or service. The automobiles make the largest use of the highways. Therefore the owners of automobiles should bear the bulk of the burden of building and maintaining the highways.

Until this policy is adopted, a man living in another state may travel over the paved highways of Texas without contributing one penny to their upkeep, but with the gasoline tax in effect, every time he fills his gas tank in Texas he contributes something toward the maintenance of the roads in this state. Nothing could be fairer.

This is merely one of many reasons why the property owners of Wilbarger County should support the bond issue for roads on November 24, and then vote for the constitutional amendment when it comes to a vote next year. If we vote the bonds in Wilbarger County we will get \$800,000 in outside money to help build our highways. Then when the State takes over the highways, following the adoption of the constitutional amendment, we will get back the money we have spent to match Federal and State aid.

If we vote down the bond issue, we will keep on paying taxes to help create the Federal and State

road funds and the money will be spent elsewhere. The people of Wilbarger County will undoubtedly reject the idea that we should pay taxes and then refuse to allow any of the money to be spent in our county.

**THE TECHNICALITIES OF THE LAW.**

There are often heard complaints against the tendency of the courts to make decisions in cases in both civil and criminal cases on what are popularly termed technicalities. It does seem to the laymen sometimes that too much emphasis is placed upon technical questions, but very often if we take time to inquire into what is termed a technicality we will discover that, while it might not have had any bearing on the merits of the particular case at bar, there are contingencies under which a disregard of some technical point might very seriously affect the rights of some individuals.

The trouble is to determine how far it is safe to go in overriding technical requirements of the law. If technical and detailed requirements are set aside in one set of circumstances such action can be made to justify a disregard of the exact provisions of the law under different circumstances when some vital legal right would be jeopardized. The conclusion of such a course would ultimately result in a complete breakdown of all laws. In a civilized country we must be governed by law. To seek to follow what is popularly termed "the rule of reason" is to invite destruction to our rights under the law, because it must be remembered that the so-called rule of reason is a variable quantity. What is reasonable to some is ridiculous to others. Our reasons are creatures of education, environment and temperament.

Some would construe the rule of reason, to use a particular instance, to the clothing of peace officers with the authority to search, without warrant, the private premises of a citizen if the officers suspect that the citizen had intoxicating liquors on his premises. Nothing could be more obnoxious to a free people than to subject their persons and homes to search without the formality of obtaining a search warrant from a court authorized to issue such writs. Yet we have men in Congress who sought to write this vicious principle into our prohibition laws. On the other hand, there are those who would construe the rule of reason to mean that they could transport liquors or keep them on their premises and persons on the bare statement that they intended to violate no law.

This illustrates why it is necessary to have written laws and why it is equally necessary that the courts follow them both in letter and spirit. A thing as variable as "the rule of reason" is an unsafe guide to the safeguarding of the rights of citizens, and if more of us would understand and appreciate this fact there would be less criticism of courts when they follow what are termed technicalities of the law.

**SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS**

They say that President Alvaro Obregon is such a staunch prohibitionist that he will not allow liquor in the national palace. That's what you might call a desert within an oasis.

A man without any kind of religion is like an electric light globe without electricity.

"The Democratic party in Texas can no more be run without whiskey than the Baptist church can without water," so wrote Brann many years ago. Some of the various substitutes we have had for Democracy in the last few years would indicate Brann might have been right.

Hypocrisy is the Devil's two edged sword.

God created man a human being, but some men have changed so since then that there are those who think man was created a monkey.

The man who wrote "The Road to Hell is paved with good intentions" was all wrong. The road to Hell isn't paved at all and there's no record to show that they ever even circulated a petition for a bond issue in the Hell district.

All officers know that everybody wants the law enforced provided it is enforced on the other fellow.

West Texas weather has certainly been changeable during the past week—quite feminine, we should say.

**APPLIED EDUCATION.**

(By Phoebe K. Warner)

To the School Boys and Girls of Texas:

By dear Boys and Girls:

This is for you. Every school day for seventeen years somebody went from our home to school every morning, and every evening along about 4:20 came home again. But "them days is gone forever." The last one received his high school diploma last May and they are all out and gone. The school bell has a new meaning to us this year. It used to mean "Hurry, hurry, Mother, where is my dinner and my books and my pencil?" and once in a while "my hat." And away they went for another day of happy, thoughtless, care-free education. No, education was about the last thing the children think of when they are going to school. The most they get in education is rather accidental and mechanical.

The school bell sounds more like the knell of a day that is past and gone for us this year. But we rejoice in the future of our boys and girls and hope it is only a few more years until every school boy and every school girl in Texas will have an equal chance to go to school and stay in school until you are all high school graduates. Every one of you is entitled to a high school diploma if you are willing to do the work that is necessary to get it. And NOBODY has a right to deprive you of it. It is yours by inheritance as a child of this State and Nation. And no one has any more right to bar you from having a high school diploma than they have to rob you of your share of your own father's estate. We wish every parent in this State would get that. But a lot depends on you, the boys and girls of today. And while there are thousands of children held out of school because of many and diverse and adverse conditions there are thousands and thousands of boys

and girls who are deliberately robbing themselves of their educational birthright simply because YOU will not try to go to school until you receive your high school diploma. This little message is to URGE every school boy and school girl in Texas to STAY in school and if need be put up the fight of your young life to finish the free public school course.

Boys, this fine old world is moving along at a much faster pace than it was when your father or grandfather was your age and unless you get a good running start with it in boyhood you will never be able to keep up with the boys of your day and when the years of manhood come YOU will find yourselves away farther behind the men of your day than your father or grandfather did. And very likely if THEY had had your chance to go to school they would have used it. And the same is true of our girls who are feeling way their school days instead of using them. How it always did hurt me to see one girl who had ambition and brains and wants to go to school and make the most of herself held back because of illness, or work, or lack of a good school within her reach and then just a few miles away there are other girls flitting with their opportunities and wasting their lives because they do not know what it means to want anything not even a high school education.

But this is not what we started to say at all. We want to talk a minute about applied education because we see it actually coming into fashion. Education has never been fashionable or popular before. Education has been something that could not be APPLIED to life and its needs. And youth especially could see no relation between what they were told to learn at school and what they had to do when they went back home. And even that which they learned at school that

might have been applied in some form of useful work the very day they learned it was not applied to anything in particular and consequently the school boy feels little or no interest in it.

Did you ever see a boy or girl get so tired of anything they were learning to DO that they are willing to throw it up forever. Why don't they get tired of football and baseball and basketball and tennis. It is because every new lesson they learn on the field today they apply in the game tomorrow. How much interest do you think even college students would take in football if they had never played a game or seen a game played? Just read about it in their history or arithmetic or geography. What good would it do a team to know all the rules of the game if they never had a chance to apply the rules? Not much. Oh, yes it is nice to know things. And a lot of folks measure their education by what the other fellow does not know. They seem to think we should recognize them for what they know whether they know how to use it or apply it to any purpose or not.

Last year the San Saba Star put into action something that we believe will reach around the whole State in a few years. It worked with the teachers and the pupils of the whole county to publish the San Saba School News. It helped the teachers to know one another better. It brought the whole county together in one educational interest. It reported every parent-teacher meeting in the county, every contest, every entertainment, every new school building, every improvement. It gave the honor roll, it advertised everything good the schools of the county did all year. But all these are the least such a project did. It gave every child in every school in the county a chance to apply their lessons learned in English to the publication of a sure-enough paper. And this year, the Claude school is publishing its school paper. The Memphis school is publishing a real school paper. The Tahoka school has a special place to fill in the Lynn County News. The Wellington school and the Childress school, and scores of other schools all over the State are

applying their lessons learned in English to the printed pages of their home papers. What's the result?

One big result is the people will all learn more about their home school. But the most far-reaching result will be the thousands of high school boys and girls that will discover their weak places in their English when they try to apply their knowledge of English to actual work. They will run out what they do NOT know as well as what they do know. And right then and there they will feel the need of knowing more about English. And they will go back to school more eagerly and study more carefully the simple rules of English. And they will have a new interest in their school work because they have tested it and found it did or did not apply to their needs.

Applied education. That is what we want. That is what we need. The biggest opportunity of the public school today is to find ways to APPLY what the children are learning day by day. And they would never leave school if they could be taught how their education is to be applied to their lives. For after all it is not what we KNOW but it is what we know and know how to apply to the needs of the world that counts.

**Derington-Derington.**

Last Sunday just after noon a party of young people drove up to the parsonage of the Central Christian Church and asked for the pastor, Rev. Lewis P. Kopp. The pastor was asked to perform a wedding ceremony at the parsonage, which he did uniting Willie Derington and Miss Effie Derington in marriage. The young couple, attended by several friends, left immediately after the ceremony for their home near Crowell.

Mrs. Laura M. Badgett of El Paso, is in Vernon attending court as a witness in a land case.

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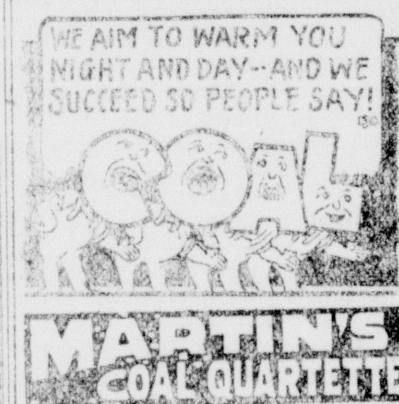
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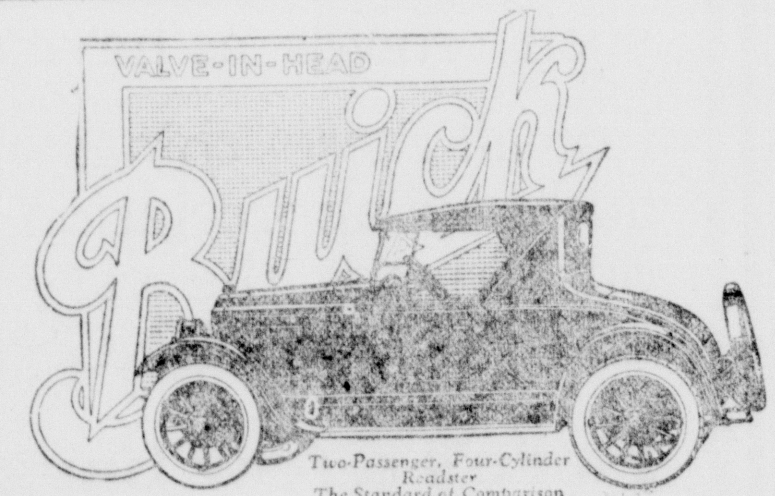
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## HARD FIGHT ON FOR CONVENTION

VERNON TO HAVE STRONG OP-  
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NEXT YEAR

With other cities than Vernon planning to land the 1925 West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, the fight to bring the convention here is expected to be one of the hardest battles Vernon Boosters have ever had. While Vernon has won a great deal of support from this entire section, it is to have powerful opposition and the general feeling up and down the Denver appears to be that Vernon must get busy and start its fight if it is to win at Brownwood in 1925.

Regarding the duty of a commercial organization and why every town should support such an organization, Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has recently issued the following statement:

"Why should a city have a commercial organization? Because if it lives up to its duties, it will be the most potent force in the community for progress. Its duties are to do anything and everything necessary for and incident to the up-building and the better building of the city and its environs. Its duty is not only to make a city grow but also to make it a better, a more sanitary, a prettier and more enjoyable place in which to live.

"Its province or field of work reaches out into every branch and takes cognizance of every phase of the city's life. The commercial interests, wholesale, retail, and manufacturing; the professional interests; the government of city, county and state, the social side of the city's life where it touches the question of public morals and health; all of these and in truth every channel of activity comes under its practical eye.

"The commercial organization has a first duty in that it must bring all of the elements of the entire community, county as well as city, together into one compact body working for the uplift of the community. It must teach the individuals composing these elements the lesson of achievement through co-operation. It must arouse the citizenry from the old time lethargy to a quickened interest, and always and everywhere preach the gospel of sane, safe and sound development, selfishness, public-spiritedness and civic pride. Its motto must be, 'If it's good for the community, then let us have it.' When helps the city as a whole, has a like beneficial effect upon everyone within its boundaries.

"Not only the business and professional men make good 'boosters,' but also the young men, the clerks in the stores, the women both in the house and in the office or store and the children in the schools. It is the duty of the commercial organization to so spread its propaganda of development as to obtain the efficient aid of all these forces. Many organizations secure much of their force and power from their women's auxiliaries. In campaigns for sanitation and beauty their help is incalculable.

"The commercial organization has a duty toward the city government which it cannot afford to overlook in spite of the howls of the politician who knows his power is on the decline when the business interests cast their microscopic eyes of investigation upon his maneuvers. Every effort should be made to work with the administration in an amicable way, but if this is not possible, it is the duty of the commercial organization to continue to interest itself in the affairs of the city government."

### UNION NEWS.

Misses Vera and Lorene Cox spent Wednesday with Misses Ethel and Janie Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolton of Vernon.

Odie Wilbanks attended the football game between Vernon and Quanah Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chastine of Lockett were visiting in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Leverett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nunn, C. E. Knowles, T. C. Wiseman and sons, Otis and Charles, Buster Baker and R. H. Hampton, were among the Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Baker gave the young folks a dancing party Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. L. Combs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson Sunday.

Miss Katherine Wilbanks visited Miss Annie Birchfield Wednesday.

A. M. Hampton of Lockett visited his brother, R. H. Hampton Friday.

Dolphus Nunn is still very sick. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bass were Vernon visitors Thursday evening.

Next Sunday evening there will be preaching here. Everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Leverett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Shores of West Vernon Saturday and Sunday night.

The party given by Miss Stephens was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. S. I. Davenport of Lockett visited Mrs. H. S. Stephens Saturday afternoon.

Everybody is enjoying the fair.

## ONLY AMERICAN MANNEQUIN IN PARIS.



Miss Marguerite Ebert

Above is shown Miss Marguerite Ebert, a Kansas girl, who is the only American mannequin in Paris. She has taken the means of earning the money to complete her studies for the operative stage. She makes her operative debut next year, and in the meantime continues to prove that she is able to wear gowns even more charmingly than the French mannequins.

weather. There will be lots of cotton gathered now, as it is opening fast.

A pretty good sized frost fell here Tuesday morning. The first we have had this fall.

A. H. Knowles was in Vernon on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Matthews spent three days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Birchfield.

Misses Ethel and Janie Hampton visited Misses Dorothy and Nellie Mae Wilbanks Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Leverett and Mrs. W. A. Nunn visited Mrs. Leslie Bass Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilbanks gave the young folks a singing Sunday night. A large crowd was present.

### FARGO NEWS.

The Fargo school began last Monday with fairly good attendance. Several patrons were present. The faculty for the term is as follows:

R. C. Hankins of Fort Worth, superintendent; Misses Dungan, of Electra, Mary Chambers of Shamrock, Lenora Mason and Ethel Sweetman are the assistants.

Mrs. Vaden Cooper and baby of Electra are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Criss.

Mrs. Charlie Mason, of Odell, visited the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. Jimmie Coffee.

The roads have been almost impassable up until this week.

Miss Lillian Sweetman has returned to Hank this to begin her school. The school has been closed so the pupils could keep pick cotton.

Mrs. Sosby left this week for Parker county to visit her daughter.

Mrs. F. M. Sweetman and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mason and family.

Miss Leola Smith opened her school at White City last Monday. Miss Smith is principal of the school.

Miss Lucile Marr went to Doans Monday to begin her school. She is one of the assistant teachers at Doans.

There was no preaching services at the Baptist church Sunday on account of the pastor having a badly swollen arm and hand, caused by a mosquito bite.

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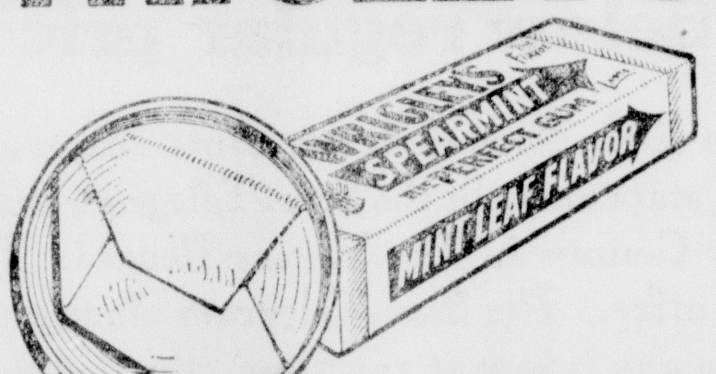
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## PAGEANT OPENS SUNDAY MORNING

FORT WORTH DIAMOND JUBILEE TO BE BIG EVENT FOR WEST

Depicting the development of Texas and clothed in the wealth of color and sentiment of the South-west, will be the story told in the Pageant of Progress of the Diamond Jubilee at Fort Worth Nov. 11th to 14th, inclusive. Fourteen episodes, every one as nearly as possible correct as is humanly possible to cast, will be required to tell how Fort Worth and Texas has grown and prospered in the last seventy-five years. The script has been prepared from history, and direction of the pageant placed in the hands of one skilled in histrionic art, Mrs. E. H. Hanley of New York City.

The cast calls for 2,500 people, a large number of horses, cattle and other equipment including a tribe of Comanche Indians. Only this week it was decided to stage the affair in the Coliseum, the great building which houses the South-west Exposition. Every seat in the great structure will be free to those who are visitors to Diamond Jubilee. There will be no reservations for a selected few, but every seat will be as free as the air. The pageant is one of the most expensive single entertainment features ever staged in Fort Worth or Texas. It is the gift of the people of the city to all of Texas.

A flying circus in which not less than 50 airplanes and bombers will be engaged is another salient feature. One battle formation calls for fifty planes in the air at one time, also a number of balloons. Aerial warfare, parachute jumping, plane exchanging and other hair-raising stunts are on the program. This is undoubtedly the greatest air circus ever staged in the Southwest.

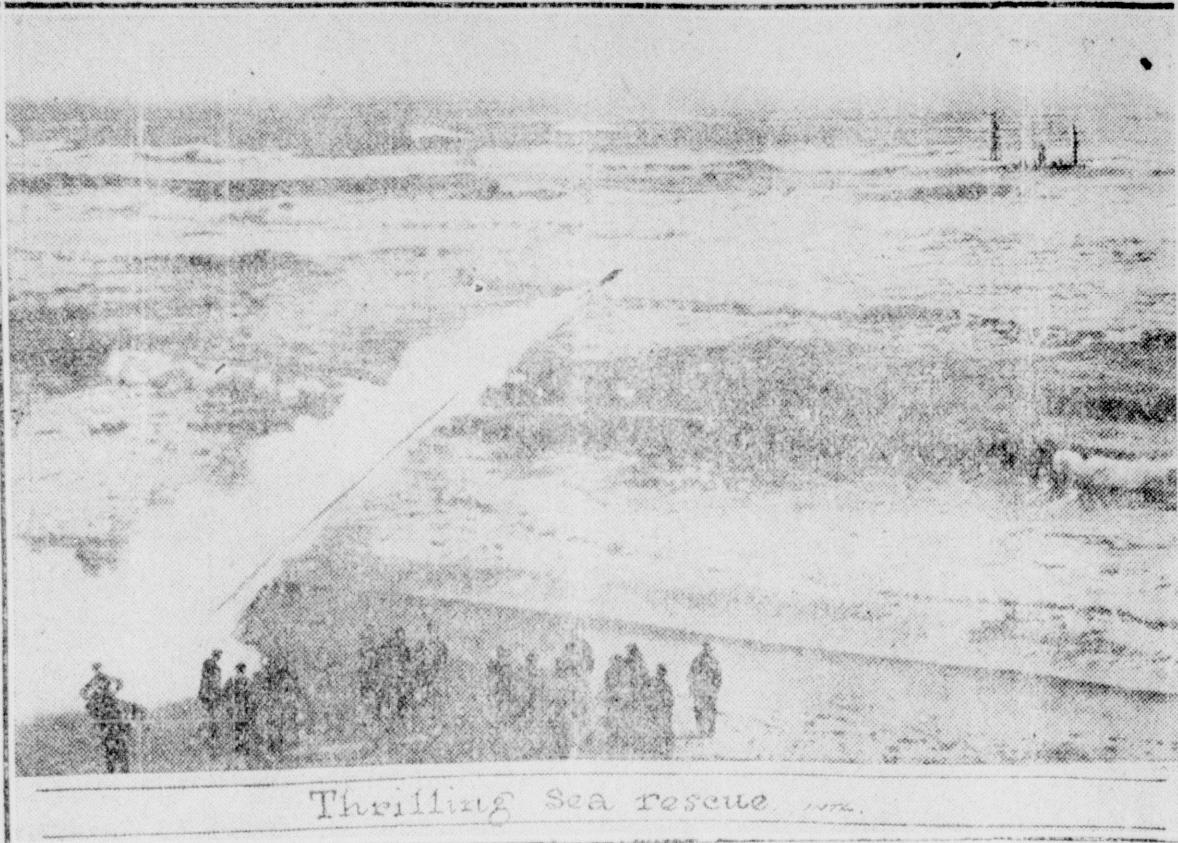
There are more than a hundred different athletic events, including football, basketball, volley ball and other court games. Something of the magnitude of the athletic and community affairs can be visualized when it is known that forty-one neighborhood functions will be in progress at one time. These are all under the direction of the Recreation Department of the City of Fort Worth of which W. C. Batchelor is director.

Monday will be the day of the former service men. It has been designated as "Home Coming Day" for the boys who trained at Camp Bowie in the Old 36th Division and who trained at Camp Travis of the Old 90th and the three aviation fields of Fort Worth. On this day it is expected that many thousands of the boys will come back home to participate in the events of the day and to visit friends of training camp days.

A giant cake weighing 800 pounds, three feet deep and six feet in diameter, is to be cut and served to the soldiers participating in the parade Monday. Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton has been invited by the service men of Fort Worth to carve and serve the cake. He will have as assistants many women and girls of the Bothwell Kane Post, American Legion. General Barton served with a great number of the men and won a D. S. C. for gallantry. He is also the only man in the American army to have a bill of a French battle field named for him. Three Victory balls will be given Monday night honoring the service men.

Tuesday will be Mayor's Day. This feature is under the direction and management of the Kiwanis Club and already more than 100 mayors of Texas have accepted invitations to be present as guests of Fort Worth. Men of international reputation, including William Randolph Hearst, Arthur Brisbane, O. O. McIntyre, Sammie Gompers and

## THRILLING RESCUE OFF SCOTTISH COAST.



Thrilling Sea Rescue

The above photograph was snapped just at the instant the British Coast Guardsmen fired a rocket lifeline to the steam trawler Imperial Prince, stranded off the Scottish coast near Aberdeen. Two of the trawler's crew perished in the heavy seas, but the remainder were rescued in a daring manner by the Coast Guards, who put out to them in a life boat, after many unsuccessful attempts.

## LONGHORNS AND BEARS TO PLAY

BIG GAME AT BAYLOR TOMORROW TO BE SOUTHWESTERN EVENT

Austin, Nov. 8.—"We will have to improve 50 per cent in our offense before we can hope to score one touchdown against Baylor University Saturday in Waco," stated E. J. "Doc" Stewart, the head Longhorn football coach, after seeing the Baylor-Aggie game last Saturday. "Our line will have to be strengthened, too, if we expect to hold the Bears in check," said Coach Stewart. The chief Longhorn mentor left his team in charge of Coach Seddon and Waite when the locals played Rice here and went to Waco to watch his two most formidable foes in action.

"Baylor has a wonderful team this year," according to the Longhorn coach. The Bears won the Southwestern championship last year and judging from their record this year they are equally as strong now, Coach Stewart pointed out.

Since the Vanderbilt game the Longhorns have not played good football. The Southwestern Placers recently ran through the Texas line at will in the first quarter. The Rice Owls stomped the Longhorn offense here Saturday. Joe Ward, a linesman, was out into the backfield in the third quarter. He was the only Longhorn player who could gain consistently against the Owls.

Realizing that his team has only an outside chance to win over Baylor, Coach Stewart is working his players overtime this week. He is particularly trying to improve the backfield. Bully Gilstrap, a regular end, is being used in the backfield in practice. Gilstrap is big and fast but has an injured hip. This injury has lessened his value to the team this year. Joe Ward is being used at full back in practice. Joe hits the line hard but is unaccustomed to playing in the backfield. The fact that these linesmen have been moved to the backfield shows that Coach Stewart believes that his present offense is inadequate according to University athletic officials.

All year the Orange and White have been weak at tackle and end. The Longhorn tactics are very light and are at a disadvantage against the powerful Baylor line. Coach Stewart has done nothing but experiment all year with his ends. At the beginning of the season he used Gilstrap and Curtis there. Gilstrap already has been transferred to another position while Curtis has not been played regularly. Newell and Shearer, two freshmen of last year, have been used on the wing positions considerably lately. However,

both lack experience. George Luhn, the other veteran end, is very light in weight.

Saturday will be a holiday at the University and over 1500 students plan to go to Waco for the game. The Longhorn band and Cow Boy organization will be there, too. The students realize that Baylor will have a big advantage in playing on their home grounds. They believe their attendance at the game will encourage the Longhorns in their most important game of the season as far.

Central Christian Church. Every family in the church is asked to bring either sandwiches and pie or a basket dinner with enough extra that all guests may be provided. District Evangelist P. K. Huckleberry will be with us and speak at 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Dinner from 12 to 1:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services. Bible school 9:45 a. m. as usual. We will have no service at 7 p. m., so all can attend the American Legion service at the Methodist church.

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| 1 team of 3000 pound horse mules.      | 1 J. I. Case planter.                    |
| 1 team of 2800 pound horse and mare.   | 2 cultivators.                           |
| 1 3-year-old mare mule.                | 1 stalk cutter.                          |
| 1 span of two-year-old horse and mare. | 1 go-devil.                              |
| 2 Jersey milch cows.                   | 1 two-section drag harrow.               |
| 2 Holstein milch cows.                 | 1 Petter-Shuttler wagon.                 |
| 1 new John Deere planter.              | 1 set leather team harness.              |
|                                        | 1 set chain harness.                     |
|                                        | 1 hog scalding vat.                      |
|                                        | 1 complete set of farm blacksmith tools. |

The household furniture will consist of beds, chairs, tables, stoves, dressers, springs—in fact everything except bedding.

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## HISTORY OF NEW MEXICO COMPLETE

PROF. HACKETT OF TEXAS UNIVERSITY WRITES VALUABLE VOLUME

Austin, Nov. 1.—Dr. Charles W. Hackett, associate professor of Latin American history in the University of Texas, is the editor of a 500-page volume of historical documents which has just been published by the Carnegie Institution of Washington, D. C. It is the first of a series of four volumes dealing with historical documents relating to New Mexico, Nueva Vizcaya, and approaches thereto, to 1773. The second volume is now ready to go to the publishers, and the others will be completed within the next two years. According to Dr. J. Franklin Jameson, director of the department of historical research and editor of the American Historical Review, the work has furnished a steady addition to the materials for understanding the early history of the Southwest.

Historical documents in the volume were collected by Dr. and Mrs. and they relate to the Pueblo Indians and the historical approaches thereto. After the death of Dr. Dandellier, in 1914, the work was in 1917 turned over to the Carnegie Institution to Dr. Hackett, who was then a member of the faculty of the University of California. He was added to the staff of the University of Texas history faculty in the following year. The Spanish texts and English translations have been edited by him with comprehensive introductions and annotations.

"Careful examination of the manuscript," comments Dr. Jameson, in a review of the first volume, "shows that the work of transcription, comment, and the supplying of introductions has been performed with scrupulous painstaking and accuracy. It contains two parts of the material collected: First, that relating to the period in the expansion of Spain in North America comprised between 1492 and 1590, and secondly, that relating to the founding of New Mexico, 1580-1600.

In the first section, after a comprehensive introduction, Dr. Hackett presents a body of reports relating to the service and merits of discoverers and conquistadores of New Spain, a body of cedulas, and letters relating primarily to Indian affairs in Nueva Galicia and Nueva Vizcaya and adjacent regions. In the later years of the sixteenth century, and several documents relating to the early colonial administration of New Spain—all new material and of much interest. The second section presents some fifty new and unpublished documents respecting the exploration and settlement of Mexico and its organization in its earliest years.

"The results of Dr. Hackett's labors," he continues, "are presented to the reading world with gratitude to him, to Dr. and Mrs. Banderier, to Senor Don Pedro Torres Lamas, director of the Archives of the Indies, and to others from whose collections supplementary materials for understanding the early history of the Southwest."

### RED RIVER NEWS.

Ben Dodson, Emmett Perry, Jennings McDougal, Frank McDougal, M. S. McCollum, W. G. Perry, P. H. Bingham, Jake Neat, J. N. Wright, Chas. Neal, Cass Shaw, H. C. Parks, Chas. Kilbough, T. A. Hamilton, and H. N. McDougal were Odell visitors last week.

Opal McDougal visited Edna McDougal Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Cook visited Miss Opal Bingham Sunday.

Miss Opal McDougal visited Miss Gladys Bratcher Sunday.

Mr. Loyd spent Sunday with M. S. McCollum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Olive of Hank Hill were business visitors Thursday.

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Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

### SOLD U. S. HOSPITAL SITE BY ALLEGED "PULL."



E. J. Morse.

Additional sensations were created in the Senate investigation, in Washington, into the affairs of the United States Veterans' Bureau during the administration of Colonel Forbes. E. J. Morse, Republican political leader in Missouri, it was alleged, cleared nearly \$100,000 on the sale of his home at Excelsior Springs, Mo., as a site for an army hospital for tubercular patients. The place had previously been rejected as unfit for hospital purposes, but the alleged "pull" was exerted, according to the charges, in order that Morse might reap the benefits of the sale.

### SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Mrs. Joe Parker has postponed the meeting of the Friday Bridge club until Saturday afternoon on account of the football game.

The Home Science club has been indefinitely postponed on account of the football game.

The Rebekah lodge meets tonight at Odd Fellow Hall.

The local Eastern Star chapter will meet Monday night at the Masonic hall in regular session.

Miss Esther Swartwood was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Thursday Bridge club.

Mrs. L. E. McCurdy was hostess to the W. C. T. U. at a social meeting yesterday afternoon.

MRS. MCCONNIE HOSTESS TO AVALONES TUESDAY

Mrs. R. S. McConnie entertained the members of the Avalon Bridge club and other guests Tuesday afternoon, at her home on Texas

MELLON MAY ACT FOR U. S. ON REPARATIONS BOARD

President Coolidge is said to be seriously considering appointing Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon as the American representative on the Allied Board that is to determine Germany's ability to pay reparations, providing French restrictions do not make American participation impossible.

Secretary Mellon, a Pittsburgh millionaire, is one of the leading financial experts of the world.

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### For Rent

FOR RENT—One five room, house on north Bowie street. Call 430 or 348. \$5-fc

FOR RENT—Bed rooms, close in. \$3.50 per week. Phone 478-W. 2104 Paradise street. Mrs. H. W. Norwood. \$7-3fc

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### Lost, Found or Strayed.

LOST—Two ferns from my front porch Halloween night. Please return to owner. Mrs. Eunice Wilson, Telephone 311, West Texas Street. \$7-3fc

LOST—Ladies' purse containing transfer of car from Jim Crawford to Roy B. Thompson, keys and some money. Finder please bring to Record office for reward. \$8-2fc

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WANTED—Boarders and roomers. 2nd residence west of City Hall. Phone 684-W. \$5-4fc

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WANTED—To buy 50 Plymouth Rock hens. H. E. Crossland, 2325 Main street. \$6-3tp

street. A delicious two course luncheon was served to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Roy Abbott, Foster L. Edmonson, C. V. King, L. M. Lovelace, M. J. Moore, Homer Rogers, J. G. Sherman, S. A. White, R. D. King, Misses Lily Castlebury, Minnie Reed and Mesdames Harner Reed, H. Y. Pitts, Howard Lisman, C. D. Greene and A. B. Garland.

Mrs. Rhoads Entertains Delphians.

Mrs. Emory Rhoads was hostess to the Delphian club, Wednesday afternoon at her home on Main street. Eighteen members answered roll call. Mrs. R. E. Martin was leader for the afternoon and the subject was "German Drama" and "Drama of Today." A salad course was served.

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FOR SALE—My entire stock of S. C. White Leghorns for sale cheap. See me, A. B. Hays, Route A, Vernon, Texas. \$6-8fc

TRADE—Ivies Electric Shoe Shop I will trade my business in Vernon for land in Roosevelt County, N. M. W. Q. Ivie. \$5-4fc

FOR SALE—Good six room house with three acres land. North of Fair Park. See J. H. Pettit or phone 105. \$8-6tp

A BARGAIN—A good two-room house for sale without lot. See Dewey Marsh at Bank of Odell. 724

FOR SALE—Two practically new heating stoves, one New Perfection oil cook stove, dining table, bedstead and springs, City Fish and Oyster Market, East side square. Phone 682. \$7-3fc

FOR SALE—Nelson piano or will trade for a good Ford touring car. See me at Robinson Dry Goods Company. C. M. McKown. \$7-3tp

FOR SALE—Small meat market with complete equipment. Will sell at a real bargain. See me at Robinson Dry Goods Company. E. Collier. \$7-4tp

FOR TRADE—Beautiful modern home in Clovis, N. M., to trade for something in Vernon. What have you. Bill Todd. \$5-4fc

If you want a quick loan on your car, see W. W. Bennett. \$3-6fc

Sweet potatoes \$1.00 per bushel. Puckett Bros. \$7-2fc

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER: By virtue of an alias execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1923, by the Clerk thereof in the case of W. A. Cameron and Co., Inc., No. 180 vs. J. T. Smith, Administrator and Frank E. McChesney vs. E. T. Smith, Administrator, No. 180, and to me directed as Sheriff, and delivered to me by the Clerk of said County, I have caused to be sold for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described property, to-wit:

All Section No. 24 and all of Fractional Section No. 29 both in Block No. 11 of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company's Survey, Wilbarger County, Texas.

Said judgment in cause No. 180 having been assigned and transferred by written assignment by Frank E. McChesney to W. A. Cameron & Co., Inc.

Said property levied upon as the property of E. T. Smith, Administrator of the estate of J. T. Smith, dec'd, to satisfy the above judgment for the sum of \$1,217.35 and costs of suit, \$10.00, in the case of W. A. Cameron & Co., Inc. vs. J. T. Smith, Administrator, No. 180.

Given under my hand this 20th day of November, 1923.

W. FRANK EDMONSON, Sheriff Wilbarger County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 19th day of October, 1923, in a certain cause, to-wit: M. W. Litzman vs. plaintiff, and J. G. Bryant vs. defendant, in which said cause a judgment was rendered on the 19th day of January, 1923, in favor of the said plaintiff, M. W. Litzman, against said J. G. Bryant, for the sum of Four Hundred Ten and 00/100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and caused to be sold, on the 20th day of November, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of J. G. Bryant, in and to the following described property, levied upon as the property of J. G. Bryant, to-wit:

SW 14 and NE 14 of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 36, in Block No. 12, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in Wilbarger County, Texas, containing in the two separate tracts, 200 acres of land.

The above sale to be made to satisfy the above described judgment for Four Hundred Ten and 00/100 Dollars, in favor of M. W. Litzman, together with the costs of suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

W. FRANK EDMONSON, Sheriff Wilbarger County, Texas.

Vernon, Texas, Nov. 8, 1923. \$8-3fc

Catarrrhal Deafness

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or humming feeling. Unless the inflammation can be reduced your hearing may be destroyed for ever.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what no other medicine can. It cures Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. 70-4fc

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Wear a Poppy Nov. 11th.

### Notice to Contractors.

Notice to Contractors for State Road and Bridge Construction:

Sealed proposals addressed to Hon. O. T. Warlick, County Judge, Wilbarger County, for the improvement of certain highways in Wilbarger County, will be received at the office of the County Auditor at Vernon, Texas, until 10 o'clock A. M., November 27, 1923, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of work to be done: The proposed work consists of the construction of 3.02 miles of eight foot one-course reinforced concrete pavement. The estimated quantities are 116,860 pounds reinforcing steel bars and 38,255.2 square yards concrete pavement.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of Jno. E. Nabers, County Engineer, at Vernon, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for five per cent of amount of bid made, payable without recourse to the order of O. T. Warlick, County Judge, of Wilbarger County, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, and marked "Bids for the Construction of the Surfacing E. A. P. 276-A Road in Wilbarger County."

All bids received will be retained by the Department and will not be returned to the bidders.

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER: To the Resident Property Taxpayers of Wilbarger County, Texas:

Take notice that an election will be held on the 21st day of November, 1923, within Wilbarger County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in accordance to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court on the 22nd day of October, 1923, which is as follows:

On this the 22nd day of October, 1923, the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, convened in Special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Court-house at Vernon, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, A. M. BOURLAND, Com. Prec. No. 1, J. A. McALLISTER, Com. Prec. No. 2, J. S. ARCHER, Com. Prec. No. 3, R. COBB, Com. Prec. No. 4.

Present, came on to be considered the petition of W. K. Long and 103 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Wilbarger County, Texas, in the sum of \$600,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half (5 1/2) per centum per annum and maturing serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, rate of interest and maturities to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating roads, turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Wilbarger County, Texas, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and

It appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Wilbarger County, Texas; and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Wilbarger County, Texas;

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the Court that an election be held in said Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 21st day of November, 1923, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of \$600,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half per centum (5 1/2) per annum and maturing serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from their date, rate of interest and maturities to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating roads, turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said County, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Article 627

to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and who are resident property taxpayers in this County, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At West Side Court House, with E. P. Robertson as Presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 1;

At East Side Court House with T. L. Rouse as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 2;

At Odell, with J. F. Stark, as presiding officers, Election Precinct No. 3;

At Harrold, with R. P. Burgess, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 4;

At Mack Schoolhouse, with E. M. Schaub, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 5;

At Lockett Schoolhouse, with S. C. Davenport as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 7;

At Kinchead Schoolhouse with C. Schoppa as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 8;

At Tolbert, Schoolhouse, with W. H. Cummins as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 9;

At Odell, with J. M. Collins as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 10;

At Doans with P. M. Emmett as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 11;

At Hinds, Schoolhouse with W. J. May as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 12;

At Hance Schoolhouse with Claude Price as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 13;

At Guyer Schoolhouse with E. B. Gillis as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 14;

At Fazio with Tom Mason, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 15;

At Elliott, with R. G. Goss, as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 16;

At Farmers Valley Schoolhouse, with C. H. Randel as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 17;

At Antelope with B. P. Abston as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 18;

At Wildest Schoolhouse with J. L. Beck as presiding officer, Election Precinct No. 19;

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes heretofore referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in The Vernon Record, a newspaper published in the County, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Court-house door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted, as herein above directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court.

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Given under my hand, with the seal of the Commissioners' Court affixed, this 22nd day of October, 1923.

O. T. WARLICK, County Judge, Wilbarger County, Texas.



## PLANS TO BE MADE FOR SALE

CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN TO BE CONDUCTED IN VERNON

Within a few days the chairman of the Christmas Seal Sale committee will be announced from the Chamber of Commerce. The sale of seals in Vernon is expected to compare up to past years, at least, as this city has always done its part.

The following bulletin on Christmas Seals has been sent out by the State Board of Health:

"The plans and organization work for the Sixteenth Annual Tuberculosis Seal Sale are fast nearing completion in Texas. Local chairmen have been appointed and are all very optimistic over the prospects of a large sale this year.

"Many of the local chairmen have conducted the Seal Sale in their communities for a number of years. The Tuberculosis Seal has continued to grow in popularity until now the majority of those using seals specify Tuberculosis Seals.

Last year's Christmas Seal money brought the following results:

One hundred fifty-eight thousand, eight hundred and fifty-four persons were reached through the informational campaign.

Nearly 300,000 pieces of literature were distributed.

Thousands of children were taught health habits through the Modern Health Crusade.

Nearly 3,000 school children were given complete physical examinations.

Over 800 health lectures and school talks were given.

Maintained a health motion picture car which is carrying a message of health to all parts of the state, particularly small towns and rural districts.

Assisted organizations and groups interested in preventing tuberculosis.

Employed full time Mexican and Negro workers.

Co-operated with State Board of Health and American Red Cross in disease prevention.

An increased seal sale is needed this year for the following reasons:

1. More nurses are needed to instruct tuberculosis patients, assist in clinics and do demonstration nursing.

2. Pupils in hundreds of Texas schools, never yet visited by a nurse, should be examined.

3. A traveling tuberculosis clinic in charge of a physician, expert in tuberculosis, is needed.

4. More campaigns are needed or county tuberculosis sanatoria.

5. Additional lecturers and field workers are needed to meet innumerable requests for service in spreading a knowledge of tuberculosis.

6. The program of 1922 should be expanded.

95 per cent of the money raised in Texas by the sale of seals is used in Texas to prevent disease. The other 5 per cent goes to the National Tuberculosis Association, who in turn gives this Association such splendid cooperation and service as we really get a good share of at 5 per cent back.

Palmer and Maxwell parts. I can furnish you with any replacement part you need for your Palmer or Maxwell car. My prices are far below wholesale. Harold Bonner, 7-2tc

## CAILLAUX RE-ENTERS POLITICS IN DRAMATIC FASHION



M. Joseph Caillaux

Former Premier Joseph Caillaux, exiled from Paris and other sections of France for his alleged trafficking with the enemy in the World War, has re-entered French politics in dramatic fashion. Addressing 400 of his followers at a banquet in Denain, one of the few towns he can enter, he planned a definite program for the Left Wing of the Chamber of Deputies, when the latter shall choose Premier Poincaré at the coming elections. France, he said, was entitled to reparations and security from Germany, but that under the Poincaré plan she should get neither.

## City Clubs Select Representatives To State Meeting

Mrs. W. N. Stokes and Mrs. C. J. Farrell will represent the Musician's club of Vernon at Wichita Falls next week at the State Federation meeting. They were appointed by the executive committee of the State Federated Music clubs.

Mrs. Stokes is president of the local club and Mrs. Farrell is past president and first vice president.

Mrs. Ben Leutwyler is delegate from the Home Economics club and Miss Robbie Castenbury is alternate.

Mrs. J. N. Johnson, president of the Home Science club will go as the representative and Mrs. B. A. Williams and Mrs. N. R. Heath have been elected alternates.

Mrs. Y. H. Babasin, president of the Delphinian club will go as delegate with Mrs. E. L. Keltz as alternate.

The Woman's club is represented by Mrs. C. V. King, as delegate, and Mrs. R. E. Townsend as alternate. Mrs. J. E. Collins, president of the club, will also attend.

Mrs. J. A. Birdsong will represent the County Federation at the state meeting. Many other club women will attend from here.

Wanted, second hand furniture, stoves, etc. Vaughn Mercantile Co. Phone 538, West Maiden St. S-5tc

Sell us that old furniture. We want it. Vaughn Mercantile Co. Phone 538, West Maiden. S-5tc

## VERNON JOINS IN OBSERVANCE

BUY IT MADE IN TEXAS IS SLOGAN FOR INDUSTRIAL WEEK

Vernon, in common with all Texas, will observe "Buy It Made In Texas" week, November 12 to 17, inclusive. During that week special attention is expected to be paid by home buyers to home products. The following bulletin is from the B. I. M. I. Week has been issued:

"Every dollar spent for goods made in Texas is a dollar more that is kept in the state and helps to build up our state and its industries. If we fail to buy home products, the industries that are not made in Texas will find that the manufacturer is very sorry to lose it for the development of its industry in the city in which he is located. It is indeed a real citizen who makes his home within the state of Texas, yet, at every opportunity seems to take sides in sending his Texas money out of the state for the comfort and necessities of life. Stand back of your merchant, manufacturer, contractor, architect, and professional men of Texas, learn to live at home. For in no other way will a community prosper. Texas Industrial Week, 'Buy It Made In Texas' opens on Monday, November 12th. The slogan for the week is: 'Buy something made in Texas today.' If we spend our money for Texas Made Products, and insist when making contracts that Texas Made Materials be used where ever possible, we will then get a second chance at the same old dollar, when that dollar goes out of the state its 'Good-Bye Money'."

WILDCAT NEWS.

Mrs. Douglas Fox and children have returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glover, at Odell.

Bob Raper, Fred Raper, and sister, came in home last week for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raper.

Mr. Key and son, Jodie, went to Vernon Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nunn and Miss Mary Delaney went to Vernon last Tuesday.

Will Key has been working the road some this week, fixing some holes so people can pass.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Vernon, visited Sunday school at Wildcat Sunday and took dinner with Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand.

Buford Luttrell surprised his many friends by getting married last Saturday night to Miss Vesta Seny of Vernon.

Fred Miller spent Saturday night in Vernon with Earl Madden.

John Glover of Fargo, visited his

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Key went to Vernon Sunday to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Luttrell of Hill Crest took supper with Mrs. I. G. Luttrell and family Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim White spent Sunday with friends in Odell.

Mrs. H. N. McDougal and daughter of the Red River community, spent Sunday afternoon in the E. C. Bratcher home.

The Pleasant Valley school was put off until the first of December.

Mrs. E. C. Bratcher and daughters spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Bell.

Charlie Thomas was in Odell Tuesday afternoon.

Farmers are behind with their

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## TROOPS END COMMUNIST RIOTS IN HAMBURG.



During the recent fighting in Hamburg, Germany's greatest seaport, on the River Elbe, communists for two days terrorized the city. German troops, rushed to aid the police, put down the rioting, with considerable bloodshed. A number of the communists, with hands behind their heads in token of surrender, are being marched to jail.

Editor, Mrs. Douglas Fox, last Monday.

Chester Robinson of Vernon spent Thursday night with Genon Luttrell.

Mrs. Nunn's little daughter, Orlan, is real sick with typhoid fever at this writing.

I. G. Luttrell went to Elliott to set up with one of his nephews, Fred Luttrell's baby Sunday night. The child was very low.

Mrs. I. G. Luttrell and Benton visited Mrs. Seny of Vernon, Monday evening and brought Mr. and Mrs. Buford Luttrell out home with them.

Miss Annie Nunn spent the weekend with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Richards went to the show in Vernon Saturday night.

Fred Miller spent Sunday night with Benton Luttrell.

The annual conference sent our preacher, Rev. Frank Johnson, back to us. He did great work for this community last year, and we feel he can do more this year.

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